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MAIL & PASSENGER SERVICE
SAILING TO PLYMOUTH AND LONDON
CALLING AT MARSEILLES.
All Passengers are requested to be in possession of Pass Ports.

Date.	Steamer.	Tons.
1920		
28th December	Kalyan	3,937
31st "	Morvada (a)	9,193
25th "	Mantua	10,885
1921		
1st January	China	7,982
8th "	Mashobra	8,785
9th "	Caledonia (b)	7,572
15th "	Devanha	8,092
22nd "	Sicilia (c)	8,085
29th "	Morea (d)	10,890
5th February	Kaiser-I-Hind	11,430
12th "	Pissary	7,846
19th "	Malwa	10,882
26th "	Naldera	15,825

(a) "MORVADA"—B. Company's Fares Calls at Port Said and Pheuth only.
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DOGS—Under no circumstances can Dogs be conveyed by the Company's passenger carrying steamers.

SAILING TO STRAITS AND CHINA AND AUSTRALIA.

Date.	Steamers.	Remarks.
31st December.	Naldera	Calls Colombo, Fremantle, Adelaide Melbourne and Sydney.

SAILING TO AFRICA, KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF.

Date.	Steamer.		
30th Dec.	Karapara	—	East and South Africa.
17th "	Lhasa	—	Karachi direct
9th "	Linga	—	Karachi via Kathiawar Ports 9-30 a.m.
1st "	Manshobra	—	Karachi direct
22nd "	Varela	—	Buscreh direct.

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Steamers	Commander	Tons	Arrivals	Departure
Hamburg Maru	K. Yamo	5154	19th Dec	26 Dec.
Tenshin Maru	G. Hideka	4921	24th Dec.	4th Jan
Yoshida Maru No. 3	M Koji	4646	15th Jan.	22nd Jan

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Siam Maru S. Kojo	28th Dec.	29th Dec.

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	Rs.
Capital Subscribed	60,00,000
Capital Paid-up	30,00,000
Reserve Fund	14,00,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
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Deposits received and interest allowed at per cent. per annum. Rules on application.
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Manager.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.
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ESTABLISHED 1884.

Subscribed Capital	Yen 100,000,000
Paid-up Capital	Yen 74,000,000
Reserved Fund	Yen 50,000,000

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BRANCH: Ahmedabad.

	Rs.
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED	2,00,00,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP	1,00,00,000
RESERVE FUND	66,00,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Interest is allowed on daily balances from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,00,000 AT THE RATE OF 2½ PER CENT. PER ANNUM THROUGHOUT THE YEAR On sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,000, interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest will be allowed which does not amount to Rs. 2 per half year.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
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BANKING.

THE
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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	Yen 60,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	Yen 45,000,000
RESERVE FUND	Yen 9,000,000

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	Yen 70,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	Yen 40,000,000
RESERVE FUND	Yen 14,200,000

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CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed half yearly on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 at 2 per cent. per annum provided the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5.
FIXED DEPOSITS received for 12 months and for shorter periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.
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Authorised Capital	£2,000,000
Paid Up Capital	£765,242
Reserve Fund	£220,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	£1,197,480

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Securities received for Safe Custody and Interest and Dividends collected for clients.
E. F. BUCKER.
Manager.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Subscribed Capital	£1,800,000
Paid-up Capital	£1,050,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	£ 750,000
Reserve Fund	£1,050,000

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London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.
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Delhi	Mote Bhrs (Kalantan)	Rangoon
Galle		Shanghai
		Singapore

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The Bank receives deposits on the following terms:—
CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed thereon at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances up to Rs. 1 lakh.
Every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business undertaken.
Sums above Rs. 1 lakh will be received on terms to be ascertained on application.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
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Subscribed Capital	Rs. 1,00,00,000
Paid-up Capital	Rs. 40,00,000
Reserve liability for calls	Rs. 60,00,000
Reserve and Contingency Funds	Rs. 2,63,000

CURRENT ACCOUNTS—Interest at 3 per cent. all owed the year on sums of Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,00,000.
FIXED DEPOSITS—Received for 12 months and shorter periods.
SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS—Received at per cent.
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All kinds of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
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THE UNION BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

	Rs.
AUTHORISED CAPITAL	4,00,00,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	4,00,00,000
CALLED-UP CAPITAL	60,00,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL ON 28-9-20	59,69,718

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SUB-BRANCHES:
Zaveri Bazar, 289, Shaik Memon Street.
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LONDON AGENTS.
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CURRENT ACCOUNTS:—Interest allowed at 2½ per cent. per annum on DAILY BALANCES up to Rs. 1,00,000. From 1st January to 30th June interest at 2 per cent. per annum is allowed on sums over Rs. 50,000 provided the balance does not fall below the figure. No interest is allowed unless the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5 half-yearly.
FIXED DEPOSITS: received for one year and for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
SAVINGS BANKS. Interest allowed at per cent. per annum. Rules on application.
LOANS AND CASH CREDITS are granted on approved securities at favourable rates.
SHARES AND SECURITIES purchased and sold.
Banking business of every description transacted.
A. B. OLIPHANT.
Ag. Manager.

THE PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK, LIMITED.
ESTABLISHED 15TH MAY, 1895.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Capital authorised	50,00,000	0	0
Capital issued	21,00,000	0	0
Capital Subscribed	21,00,000	0	0
Capital Paid-up	18,65,017	8	2
Reserve Funds	15,69,858	6	5

Dividend of the rate of 12 per cent. per annum has been declared, by the Bank in paid-up capital.
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BRANCHES:

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Gojra	Ludhiana	Srinagar
Hapur		Umballa City
Hoshiarpur		

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened and interest allowed at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.
FIXED DEPOSITS are received for 12 months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.
SAVINGS BANK DEPOSIT.—Sums as low as Rs. 5 received and interest allowed at 3½ per cent. per annum.
LOANS, OVERDRAFTS and CASH CREDITS.—The Bank grants accommodation of terms to be arranged against approved security.
CHEQUES, HUNDIS, BILLS, etc., of out-stations are bought, collected and discounted.
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STERLING RESERVE FUND	£1,500,000
SILVER RESERVE FUND	$23,000,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS	$15,000,000

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PAID-UP CAPITAL ...Rs. 1,51,51,015/4/
RESERVE FUND ...Rs. 8,50,000/
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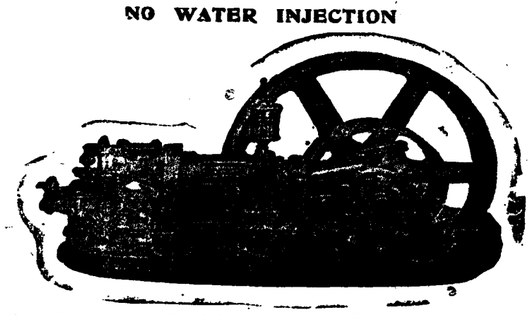

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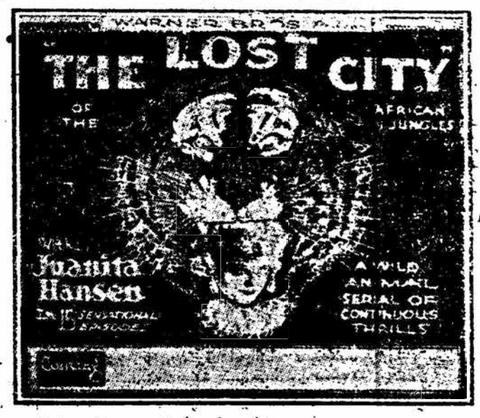

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TO BE LET.—MOTOR-GARAGES at Girgaum Back Road, near Mangaldas Bungalow, c/o S. S. Mahmvala's Bungalow. 7229

TO BE LET—IMMEDIATELY OFFICE ROOMS near Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Fort. Apply to P. O. Box No. 397, G. P. O. Bombay.
R 1955 7341

TO LET—MOTOR GARAGES, 426-432 Girgaon Road, near Thakurdwar. Apply to DEVKARAN NANJEE & SONS, 17-18, Elphinstone Circle, Fort.
R 1958 7346

A TWO-STORIED NEW BUILDING at the corner of Haines Road and Byculla Station for hire or contract for High Class Hindoos. See RAJANBHAI MEHERALLY, Khadak. 7230

GODOWNS AND GARAGES newly constructed at Nesbit Road near Mazagon Police Court, Apply Mr. JEEJEEBHOY, Nesbit Hall or c/o. Y. Insurance Coy., 78, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay. 7256

PUBLIC NOTICE.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

WITH effect from the 1st January, 1921, the re-weighment of wagons containing Coal and Coke booked at Owner's Risk rates will not be permitted. In the case of wagons containing Coal booked at Railway Risk rates, however, the East Indian Railway is prepared, when requested to do so, to re-weigh such wagons at any destination station on its system, at which there is a Weigh Bridge, provided there has been no break of gauge *en route*. The charge for re-weighment will be Re. 1-0-0 per wagon and must be paid before re-weighments are carried out, as heretofore.

By Order,
P. C. SHERIDAN,
General Traffic Manager.
No. 135, Calcutta, 22nd Dec. 1920.
7323

FOR SALE.

BUILDING STONES such as Copry Khanki Rubble, Corner stones, Metal Headers, etc.
Also machine extracted "Sisal Hemp Agave Fibre". For samples and rates apply to the AGENT the Powai Estate, 60, Medows Street, Fort. 7149

GRAND AUCTION AT BHAVNAGAR.

10TH JANUARY, 1921, 12-0 NOON AND SUCCEEDING DAYS.

OF unused stocks of Watches, Clocks, different kinds of Gold and Silver ornaments, Jewellery and Necklaces, etc., Leather Bages, fancy stores, cutlery, Jade, Motors, etc., worth several lakhs to be sold on 10th January, 1921, 12-0 noon.

Goods will be sold in lots according to variety, valuable articles separately.

Inspection invited from 8-0 a.m. to 6-0 p.m. any day from 5th January 1921.

For intending bidders from outside Kathiawar, accommodation and food will be provided at reasonable rates on informing the Controller, Hazur Private Department, Bhavnagar.

Lists can be had on applying to the Controller, Hazur Private Department, Bhavnagar, or Bhavnagar State Agent, Cavasji Patel Street, Fort, Bombay.

25 per cent. deposit in cash or Government Security will be required from the successful bidder for amount over Rs. 5,000, balance within one month. Any goods removed in the meantime to be paid for at a valuation to be fixed by the local authorities. Goods may be kept in the warehouse for two months at owner's risk free of charge; under Rs. 5,000 full payment and immediate delivery. 7249

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of Bombay Cycle and Motor Agency, Ltd., will be CLOSED from the 2nd to 10th January, 1921, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
K. D. WADIA & COY.,
Agents.
7343

THE BRITISH BURMAH PETROLEUM COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of this Company will be held in London on the 14th day of January, 1921, when the Directors propose to recommend payment of Balance dividend for the year ended 31st July, 1920, at 4sh. per share free of income tax. This dividend, if sanctioned will be payable on the 28th February, 1921, to those Shareholders whose names will be on the Company's Register on 10th January, 1921. The Directors have fixed the rate of exchange for the payment of this dividend to Shareholders on the Bombay Register at Rs. 13-2-0 per pound Sterling.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 11th to 31st January, both days inclusive.

Bombay, 27th December, 1920.

By Order,
S. S. PANTHAKI,
Local Secretary.
7328

NOTICE.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT MERCHANT MARINE LTD. AND B. I. S. N. CO.'S JOINT SERVICE CALCUTTA TO HALIFAX DIRECT TAKING CARGO FOR TRANSHIPMENT.

Steamer.	Tons.	Sailing about.
Boyne	4,500	25th Jan., 1921
Canadian Conqueror ...	5,500	28th Feb., 1921
Treven	.....	15th April, 1921

For particulars of freight, etc., apply to Messrs. MACKINNON MACKENZIE & CO., Agents. 5350

NOTICE.

TENDER FOR ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF MEDICAL STORES, ETC., FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1921-1922.

THE MEDICAL STOREKEEPER TO GOVERNMENT, Bombay, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on the 15th January, 1921, for the supply of country drugs, straw, etc.,

Written applications should be made for tender and schedule forms which will be supplied on payment of Re. 1 per set.

Further particulars may be ascertained from the MEDICAL STOREKEEPER TO GOVERNMENT, Bellasis Road, Byculla, Bombay. 7138

THE BOMBAY GAS COMPANY, LTD.

(Incorporated in England.)

TO GAS CONSUMERS.

PLEASE NOTE! instructions have been received from the Board of Directors, owing to the further increase in cost of coals to increase the price of gas after the reading of meter indices at the end of December for gas consumed in January 1921 and onwards to:—

Rs. 5-8-0 per 1,000 cubic feet for "LIGHTING," and

Rs. 4-8-0 per 1,000 cubic feet for "OTHER PURPOSES" than lighting (such as Heating and Power).

A. R. BURCH,
General Manager.
December, 1920. 7339

BENARES HINDU UNIVERSITY.

WANTED.—A STENO-TYPIST for the Vice-Chancellor's Office. Salary Rs. 100 to Rs. 200 according to qualifications. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th January, 1921.

A. B. DHRUVA, M.A., LL.B.,
Pro.-Vice-Chancellor.
7196

THE BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE LIMITED.

APPLICATIONS are invited for 100 cards on payment of Rs. 5,000 (rupees five thousands only) each subject to the approval of the Board of Directors. No security is required and all business by the holder of such cards in this Exchange will have to be transacted under the Clearance Rules of this Exchange subject to such changes as may be notified from time to time.

Application forms may be obtained from the undersigned and applications will be received only up to 31st January, 1921.

By order of Board of Directors,
M. D. DARU.
Secretary.
Medows Street, Fort.
Bombay, dated 22nd December, 1920.
7351

CANADA TO INDIA AND JAVA PORTS

A DIRECT MONTHLY SERVICE from Canada to India and Java has been inaugurated by Messrs. Ellerman and Buckall Steamship Co., Ltd. Steamers will sail from Montreal to Port Said, Port Sudan, Aden, Bombay, Colombo Singapore Batavia and other Java ports, as inducement offers.

Cargo will also be taken by transhipment at Karachi, Madras and Calcutta.

Rate of freight will be about the same as is charged from New York.

The following steamers will be loading at Montreal for India and the Far East.

S. S. "City of Agra," September.
S. S. "City of Melbourne," October.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

Messrs. W. & T. GRAHAM & CO.,
Parsi Bazar Street, Bombay.
7200

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE.

FOR SALE—SEALED OFFERS will be received by the Director Royal Indian Marine up to 2 p.m. on 20th January, 1921, for the purchase of Motor Launch No. 211, belonging to His Highness the Maharaja Scindia of Gwalior, now lying at the Government Dockyard, Bombay.

2. Particulars of the Launch are as follows:—

DESCRIPTION—Hull, wood, carvel built, thickness of planking 4in., timbers 4in., by 4in. spaced 12in. Dimensions—length overall 60 ft., breadth 12 ft. 9 in., depth 6 ft., draft forward 3 ft., aft 4 ft. 4 ins. Sleeping accommodation for 2 people aft with wash place and W.C. and for 8 people forward. Kitchen with pantry and oil cooking stove, Dynamo, 60 Volts., 30 amperes and searchlight 10 in. diar. Engines—2 No. 6 Cylinders, 10 ins. diameter and 10 ins. stroke. Standard Kerosene using petrol built by Lyons Atlas and Company, Indianapolis, Indiana. Boiler—A built steel plate singly is provided with the launch, length 12 ft. breadth 5 ft. 3 in., depth 2 ft.

3. Purchaser must remove the vessel from the Government Dockyard or moorings within 14 days of purchase at his own expense and risk. Pending such removal, the vessel will remain in the Dockyard at the purchaser's risk.

4. Twenty-five per cent. of purchase money to be paid immediately on acceptance of tender and the balance within 14 days of purchase and before the vessel is removed from the Government Dockyard.

If the balance is not paid and the vessel not removed within the time specified, the deposit of 25 per cent. will be forfeited for the benefit of the owner and the launch resold.

5. The Director, Royal Indian Marine does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other.

6. Application to view the launch may be made to the Commander of the Yard, R. I. M. Dockyard, Bombay, and any further particulars may be obtained from the Director, Royal Indian Marine.

EDWADD HEADLAM,
Captain.
For Director, Royal Indian Marine.
R. I. M. Dockyard.
Bombay, 9th December, 1920.
7028

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that JITA KOONAMCHAND and TEKCHAND KIMATMAL, of Bombay, Marwaris, have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us in our office No. 14 A., Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor or Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of non agricultural land together with the messuage standing thereon situate at Borivli, Taluka Salsette, District Thana in the Registration Sub-district of Bandra.

Entry No.	Survey No.	Pot No.	Area	Assessment Rs. a. p.
363	89	3 & 4	8,001	10 12 0
13	94	4 & 5		
NON-AGRICULTURAL NO.				
554	32	—	6,420	16 0 0

and bounded on the East by the properties of Vasudeo Bhau Pari and Bai Umabai Deji Khare on the West by the property of Karsondas Dharamsey, on the North by the New Road and the grazing ground, on the South by a private road and which said premises contain two wells and the building whereon is numbered No. 6 by the Notified Area Committee and determined as plot No. 15 under the Town Planning Scheme Borivli No. 1 and sanctioned by Government under Government General Notification General Department No. 4463 of 28th May, 1919, and published at page 1320 in Government Gazette Part I of 29th May, 1919, and all which premises by a subsequent admeasurement are reputed to contain 15014 square yards and are now in the occupation of the Vendors.

Dated this 27th day of December, 1920
MERWANJI KOLA & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
7340

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act 7 of 1913
and
In the matter of the Wadia Woollen Mills, Ltd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition was on the 3rd day of December, 1920, presented to His Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Bombay by the above-named Company to confirm alterations of the said Company's Memorandum of Association proposed to be effected by special resolutions of the Company unanimously passed at an extraordinary general meeting of the said Company held on the 18th day of October, 1920, and subsequently unanimously confirmed at an extraordinary general meeting of the said Company held on the 15th day of November, 1920, and which resolutions run as follows:—

"That Clause 6 of the Memorandum of Association of the Company be altered by substituting the words "Messrs. Husseinbhoy Pilani Wadia and Co." in place of the words "Messrs. Pilani Wadia Halai and Co.", wherever they occur in the said clause and that the words "in consideration of the services rendered in promoting the Company" occurring in lines 10 and 11 of the said clause be deleted.

And Notice is further given that the said Petition is directed to be heard before the Hon'ble the Sitting Judge in Chambers on Saturday, the 15th January, 1921, and any person interested in the said Company whether as creditor or otherwise desirous to oppose the making of an order for the confirmation of the said alterations under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his attorney or counsel for the purpose and a copy of the said Petition will be furnished to any such person requiring the same by the Company's solicitors, Messrs. Madhavji Kamdar and Chhotubhai, of Eldon Road, Fort, Bombay, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1920.
(Sd.) MADHAVJI KAMDAR & CHHOTUBHAI,
Solicitors for the Company.
7285

PUBLIC NOTICE.

The Central Hazaribagh Mica Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED UNDER THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT VII 1913.)

CAPITAL .. .. RS. 2,00,000

Divided into 8,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 25 payable in easy instalments of Rs. 5 each.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

1. C. E. GREY, Esq., Bar-at-Law, (Chairm), Late Administrator General Bengal.
2. Hon'ble Mr. K. K. CHANDA of Assam, ember Imperial Legislative Council.
3. Mrs. M. S. S. ADLAM, Id, Alipore Parkroad, East, Calcutta.
4. R. BOSE, Esq., Minerologist and Mic expert (Leeds) M. M. C. (London) Manager, Mineral Dept., Messrs. G. Kuries & Co., Ltd.
5. K. S. BASU, Esqr., Engineer, Builder id Govt. Contractor, Director, th Indian Industrial Museums, Ltd.
6. P. BANERJI, Esq., (Ex-Officio) Gener Manager and Proprietor Messrs. P. Banerji & Co.

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THE CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA, LTD CALCUTTA and all their branches.
THE INDIAN BANK, LTD., MADRAS and MADURA.

AUDITORS.

B. CHOUDURI, Esq., A.C.R.A. (Govt. Authorid Auditor of Public Companies.

PROSPECTUS.

Experience teaches that if a mine and the facty are placed under an able hand it will work as follows:—

MINE.—The average cost of hauling 1 md. of mica in well equipped mines never exceeds. Rs. 1-4.

FACTORY.—The average production of local mixed quality out of 1 md. of raw mica is 8 seers and the cost of this outturn. Rs. 0-8-0 at Rs. 1 12-0.

MARKET.—If counted on the lowest size it sells an average Rs. 20 per md. in the present local market. Therefore it works to a profit of Rs. 2-4 in Rs. 4 (i.e.) 56¼ per cent.

EXPORT.—If splittings are made out of the abo it will derive the lowest 6 seers and adding every thing it costs Rs. 6. Home rket pay now-a-days for No. 6 splittings on an average, As. 12 per lb. so the 6 srs or 12 lbs. will fetch Rs. 9. Therefore it works to a profit of Rs. 3 in Rs. 9 (i.e.) 3 per cent.

If the capital is rolled in the least twice a year it ans 66⅔ per cent. Mining and Export combined will pay 122½ per cent per year the least not to speak of the profit from manufacturing when the same is undertake

It is to be noted that the above calculations have en made on the price of mica of No. 6 quality, viz. Rs. 20 per maund. The cunt market rates for other qualities varies from Rs. 230 to 730 and spel quality is being sold Rs. 900 per maund. Calculated on these prices a od percentage of dividend can fairly be expected especially as the cost of propuct remains the same in all the cases.

For Prospectus and application forms please apply the Bankers or to the

MANAGING AGENTS.

Messrs. P. BANERJI & Co.,

80, CHOWRINGHEE, CALCUTTA.

This is not an invitation for public subscription shs are allotted only on the basis of the prospectus as filed with the Registrar.

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the properties mentioned in the Schedule hereto form the subject-matter of Suit No. 123 of 1916 filed by our client, Bai Fooleooverbai, widow of Chandmulji Baina of Ratlam, against Rai Saheb Keshrisingh Rajmul of Ratlam, in the High Court of Judicature at Bombay. From the decree made in the above suit an appeal was preferred being Appeal No. 13 of 1919 and from the decree of the Appellate Court an appeal has been preferred to the Privy Council. The properties are Lis Pendens and any person or persons purchasing or dealing with the same will do so at his or their own risk.

THE SCHEDULE:

1. A house situate at Shaik Memon Street, bearing C Ward No. 309 and Street Nos. 460 to 462 and Collector's Old Nos. 115, 115, 115, 115 and 115, New No. 885, Old Survey No. 181 and New Survey No. 1434 of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 4,345.

2. A house situate at Shaik Memon Street, bearing C Ward No. 298 and Street Nos. 2 to 10 and Collector's Nos. as in (1) of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 3,085.

3. A house situate at Shaik Memon Street, bearing C Ward No. 306, Street Nos. 456 to 458 and Collector's Nos. as in (1) of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 1,170.

4. An outhouse situate at Shaik Memon Street, bearing C Ward No. 311 and Street Nos. (2) and Collector's Nos. as in (1) of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 25.

5. A house situate at Shaik Memon Street, bearing C Ward Nos. 312 and 313, Street Nos. 3 and 4 and Collector's Nos. as in (1) of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 1,525.

6. A house situate at Telwadi Street, bearing C Ward No. 682 (1) and Street No. 12 of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 665.

7. A house situate at Telwadi Street, bearing C Ward No. 1682 (2) and Street No. 12A of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 120.

8. A house situate at Telwadi Street, bearing C Ward No. 1683, Street No. (1) of the nett annual assessed value of Rs. 65.

Note.—No Collector's Bill is received in respect of the properties Nos. 7, 8 and 9.

9. A house situate at Neemuch Cantonment in Parsee Street and bounded on the East by the property of Bhikaji Bomanji, on the West by a public passage, on the North by the Jamali Road and on the South by a public passage.

10. A house at Ajmere in the Mehar Road and bounded on the East by the said Mehar Road, on the West by the public passage, on the South by a road called Hirkala Chowk and on the North by the property of Ramdayal Vaid.

11. A house situate at Indore Camp, Calali Street and bounded on the East by the property of Ratanji Shapurji, on the West by a compound belonging to a Christian, on the North by a public road and on the South by a small rivulet.

Dated this 23rd day of December, 1920.

PAYNE & CO.,
Attorneys for Rai Fooleoowerbai, widow of Chandmulji Baina of Ratlam.
7284

NOTICE

WANTED—A MISTRESS for the Municip Female Normal Class, Karachi. Graate and under-graduat ladies should ply, giving particulars as regards their qualifications, age, service, ex perience, vernaculars known and stating their own terms to salary. Applications should reach to undersigned on or until 30th January 19

(Sd) G. PRADHAN,
Secretary,
School Board,
Karachi Municipality.
Municipal Office
Karachi, 16th ember, 1920.
7289

SALES BY AUCTION.

J. S. UDY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS,
26, Apo Street, Fort.
Telepie No. 3469.

BONA-DE SALE.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FNITURE RICH SILVERWARE, MALE STATUES, LARGE ENGLISH SAFE AND AULETTE, WITH HORSE, ENGH AND FRENCH MOTOR CARS AND NEW MOTOR ENGINES, ETC., BELONGING TO THE ESTATE OF THEATE MR. SULEMAN HASSAM SOUDAGR.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 29th December 1920, at 2-30 p. (S.T.) Messrs. J. S. UDY and Co., will by Public Auction at "Darta Aunal" Bunlow near Shri Road on Chowpatty under instructions of Sir Mahomed Yusuf Haji Ismail, Sh Ahmahomed Haji Cassum, Haji Mahod Haji Suleman and Ismail Haji Dawood, Trustees of the Will of the late Mr. Suman Hassam Soudagar:—

Very valuable and adsome English and made to order bouoh furniture comprising English cabinets, Rush Plate cane, dining table, corner cabinet drawing room upholstered sofas and chairs rge hour jars, jardineers and vases, rich chandlings and pictures, rich silverware, marble statues with pedestals, mirrored jardineers, 3 stands, brass iron and mahoganised wood bedsteads, scenda almyrahs made to order english almyrahs rich table ornaments, drawg room carpet, wall clocks, electric pendas and fittings, babe gharry, enamelled gas fountains, copper utensils, English Wheeler's large safe on stand 54 by 31 by 26."

Also one green paint landaulette with horse and harness.

One six cylinder 20 -p., 7 seater Saloon Degeaz France Motor c.

One four cylinder 12 -p., 5 seater Britain English motor car.

Two brand new 42-B.-p., Wolverine Marine Motor Engines.

The property belongs to the Estate of the late Mr. Suleman Hasm Soudagar.

Catalogues are publied and the property is on view.

J. MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 27th Dec., 20.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

Engagements.

TO-DAY.

Public Lecture, Bahai Hall, at 5-30 p.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The mail steamer Naldera with outward mails of the 16th instant is expected to arrive in Bombay at 4 p.m., on Sunday next.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Superscribed mails for Singapore and Japan per s.s. Siam Maru will be closed at the General Post Office at 8 a.m., to-day (29th) instead of yesterday as previously notified.

COLOUR-MARKET.

Owing to the X'mas holidays there is very little business in the market. Prices are maintained and the stockists expect a lively demand in January. Alizarine was in demand among the merchants and some small transactions are recorded. The rates are almost the same as reported at time.

THE ALL-INDIA ISRAELITE LEAGUE.

The 3rd annual meeting of the All-India Israelite League will be held at the Israelite School, Bombay, on the 30th and 31st instant and 1st and 2nd January 1921, commencing at 7 p.m., on the 1st inst.

Mr. K. Moses Elijah has kindly consented to preside.

THE MAZAGON INSTITUTE'S CHRISTMAS SPORTS.

The Mazagon Institute's Annual Christmas Sports came off on Sunday evening 26th instant in the compound of the Victoria Church Byculla. Beginning at 5.30 p.m., the fifteen events were gone through to the satisfaction both of those who partook in them and of the large appreciative audience that witnessed them. There were 6 races for boys and girls and several such provoking events for ladies and gentlemen. The little tots young as also for the old. The little tots too were not forgotten, a go for sweets having been provided for them, the entry to it being of course free. A rich treat consisting of a Tea-party to the subscribers children was also given. Handsome prizes were distributed to the winners by Senhor A. F. J. Fernandes, Acting Portuguese Consul-General for Portal in Bombay The Arcadian Band in attendance played a choice selection of music during the intervals.

HEALTH OF BOJAY.

The total mortality 965 was 30 more than in the preceding week. The death rate registered was 31.42. The figures for the third week of 1919, were mortality 921 and death rate 48.86; those for the week during the preceding quinquennium (1915-19) were mortality 647 and death rate 44.96. The number of deaths from influenza during the week was 17 and that from diseases of the respiratory system 386 against 6 and 523 respectively in the preceding week. No notification of Influenzal Pneumonia was received during the week. One total deaths, 211 were among infants der one year of age. Thirty-eight deathoccurred among recent arrivals from the interior, who, at the time of their death had resided for less than ten days in the city.

Cholera was absent during the week. Small pox caused five attacks and one death. Plague caused one attack and one death. The number of live births register during the week was 402 against 446 in the 52nd week of 1919 and 430 the quinquinial average for the corresponding week in the five years (1914-19.)

DR. S. RANGASWMI IYENGAR

"DIABETES SPIALIST."

RARE AND INVALUABLE SPECIFIC FOR THE CURE OF DIABETES."

After resuming his Pitice for the last two months, on his return from Madras Dr. S. R. Iyengar has completely cured many "DIABETES PATENTS." Of the many who had taken SPECIAL TREATMENT" of his advice and medicine, for complete cure. The fowing few are the new two gentlemens cerficates:—

Mr. Vithaldas P. Attalia, merchant, Bombay, writes on 29-11-20:—was suffering from Diabetes for the last 16 years and had tried many Doctors of Bomb but without any effect. I then put myself under the treatment of the said Doctor S. R. Iyengar and he prescribed a course 45 days for me and that I was completely cured at the end of the course. Before I commenced Dr. Iyengar's treatment, my urine was examined by a Bombay M.D. the percentage of Sugar was more than per cent. After the treatment, my urine was examined on 25th November, 1920 at Dr. Masina Hospital, Pathological Laboratory of Bombay "Sugar was found Nil"—which means a perfect cure of the obstinate disease which had baffled the treatment of many Doctors and Physicians before. I really consider that Dr. S. Rangaswami Iyengar is a SPECIALIST in this disease. I recommend him to all suffering from the bad disease for their rare quality and of his valuable Drugs."

Mr. Damodher Ragha Raote, Worli, Bombay writes on 3rd December 1920:—"I was suffering from Diabetes for the last 12 years and I tried many well known Doctors and D.S. during that period but could not get entire cure. In September last, I had a severe attack of Pneumonia which seriously affected my Diabetes disease and was under the treatment of Dr. Masina, was cured of Pneumonia after a short time but my Diabetes disease was in an increasing state and I could get no relief. Dr. Masina examined my urine and found I was passing 10 per cent. sugar and specific gravity was 1037. Finding no relief at all, I was put under treatment of D. S. Rangaswami Iyengar, Specialist in Diabtes. I have much pleasure to say that after a special treatment of 45 days I found my Diabetes disease properly checked and sugar nil and specific Gravity 1010. I can safely commend Dr. Iyengar's specific to any of the suffering Diabetes Patients."

CONSULTATION:—9 to 10 a.m. and 5 to 7 p.m.

ADDRESS:—Market House, opposite N. G. Bombay Khetwadi Main Road, Girgaum.

TELEGRAMS:—"JABETES", Bombay.

Ceylon Lace.

AGENTS—[illegible] known [illegible] for the sale of our well suited per V.P. [illegible] orders [illegible] advance from [illegible] receipt of 10 per cent relationship [illegible] order. Cash [illegible] franco credit [illegible] ples sent. Good [illegible] quent orders. No sample. [illegible] ject for small business.

Inquiries solicit.

Please apply

B. S. SIL[illegible]JAWADEKERE

"Henley Cottage",

Ahangama CEYLON.

NEGLECTED NEW-BORN BABY

A FREAK OF NATURE.

The dead body of a child was found at Worli on the 24th. It had two heads, one body, three legs, three arms and one heart. The police Surgeon was of the opinion that death was due to non-viable of six months gestation The body has been kept in the Police Hospital Museum.

BOMBAY AMUSMENTS.

THE COTTRELLS AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

A double programme of pictures and artists is being offered at the Royal Opera House. The Cottrell Troupe who have been scoring a success for the last 3 nights and playing to packed houses will present the second part of this programme which is entirely devoted to the Cottrells who kept the audience spell bound by their acrobatic feats in which Baby takes no small part. It made one hold one's breath to see the little one performing on a trapeze suspended from the visit of a Lady, member of the Troupe attached to a Trapeze. It is a most thrilling act at the close of which Baby Gdith is thrown from hand to hand like a ball. A comic interlude is also provided by two of the male members of the the troupe who go through clever Gymnastic exercises to the accompaniment of Ragtime music. An excellent lady Artist is also heard with her quote of songs which add to the Attrecition. also there are Dances given by the lady members of the troupe. There should be crowded house at this popular Theatre whilst the Cottrells are making their appearance.

FATALLY ASSAULTED.

The Coroner held an inquest on the body of Sakharam Tukaram, who died of wounds alleged to have been inflicted by Bapu Jipru and others.

The deceased who was aged about 50 years lived in a chawal at De Lisle Road with his wife. About 8 p.m., on Saturday four persons named Narayan Bhau, Vishnu Vina, Balu Jipru and Bhima Shiva began to beat Tukaram when Sakharam went to separate them; Tukaram was sent away and the assailants it is alleged thereupon assaulted Sakharam with knives. He got wounds under the collar bone and side. He was then taken to the Hospital, where he died. The House Surgeon gave evidence that death was due to wounds of stomach and intestines and also to shock. The jury returned a verdict of death due to wounds inflicted by Babu Jipru, who was abetted and aided by Bhiwa Shiva.

Sakharam's dying declaration was taken by Mr. B. N. Athavle, the Fifth Presidency Magistrate.

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

Bars Gold Ready Rs. 29/3.
Bars Silver Ready Rs. 101/8.

EXCHANGE.

T. T. on London 1/5.
D. D. on London, 1/5-1/16.
3 M/s D A 1/5-7/8.
D. D. on Paris Frc. 411.
3 M/s. D. A. Frc. 448.
T T on Japan Rs. 193.
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Paris Cross rate Frc. 59 90.
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London Silver forward D. 42d.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

5 per cent. War Loan 75.
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1920-22 99.
4 per cent Conversion Loan 63.
4 per cent. Terminable Loan 93.
3½ per cent. Paper 52.
4 per cent Port Trust due 1974. 60.
6 per cent. Port Trust due 1930. 85.
4 per cent. Municipal due 1974 60.
6 per cent. Municipal due 1929-49 95.
4 per cent. Bombay Improvement Trust due 1974 60.
5 per cent. Municipal Tansa 90.
5 per cent. Municipal Sanitary 91½ to 92½.

BANK NOTES.

Bank of Bombay 7 per cent.
Bank of Bengal 7 per cent.
Bank of Madras 7 per cent.

SHARES.

The market was closed to-day.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Tuesday, the 28th December 1920, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear or only lightly clouded. Humidity is in defect in the south-east. Day temperature is below the average at Delhi; night temperature is also below normal at Delhi and Hissar.

The United Provinces.—Skies are almost clear and humidity is generally in defect. Day temperature is slightly below the average; night temperature is below normal at Agra and Jhansi.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are lightly to moderately clouded in lower Sind and west Rajputana. Humidity is in defect in upper Sind and south Rajputana. Temperature is nearly normal at Mount Abu but is below the average elsewhere, both by day and by night.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are lightly to moderately clouded. Humidity is in defect at most stations. Day temperature is below the average at Bhuj and Neemuch; night temperature is below normal at Bhuj, Rajkot Bhawnagar-Para and Neemuch.

The Central Provinces.—Skies are lightly clouded at Khandwa but are clear elsewhere. Humidity is in defect. Day temperature is above the average at Akola but is nearly normal elsewhere; night temperature is below normal over the northern half of the division.

The Konkan.—Skies are almost clear and at Ratnagiri humidity is in defect. Both day and night temperatures are nearly normal.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Skies are almost clear. Humidity is in defect at Ahmednagar and in north Hyderabad. Day temperature is above the average at Malegaon and Nizamabad; night temperature is also above normal at Bijapur and Aurangabad.

General Remarks.—Weather has remained dry yesterday. Skies are lightly clouded generally over the southern half of the Peninsula and over Gujarat, Kathiawar, Central India West and west Rajputana. Temperature is lower than usual in Rajputana and the adjacent districts.

Forecast.—Dry weather is likely to continue.

India Telegraphic Summary for the 27th Dec. 1920.

There has been nearly general rain in the Bay Islands with a few falls in Lower Burma. The western disturbance has caused light rain in the Kumaon Hills.

Messrs. Rogers and Company, aerated water manufacturers of Bombay, have been appointed aerated water manufacturers to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay and they are authorized to style themselves as such.

FAMINE IN AHMEDNAGAR

RELIEF WORK BY THE SALVATION ARMY.

The Salvation Army Officers have reported conditions as very serious in the neighbourhood of Shevgaon and Pacherdi while things are anything but normal at Sirur. With a view to getting more and dennite information, I was deputed by Commissioner French, the Chief Officer of the Salvation Army in Western India, to go and view the land.

At Poona I had the opportunity of meeting Lieut.-Colonel Melling who has charge of Army work in the affected districts. He was feeling deeply concerning the bitter experiences the poor people of those parts are now passing through. He spoke of the waterless wells and the urgent need of deepening them and of the pitiful sights he had witnessed of the exodus of the able bodied poor from the villages to the towns in search of means to live. He advised me to make straight for Shevgaon.

Accompanied by my son, who had his camera, I set out the next day. As soon as we possibly could we left Ahmednagar for the long tonga ride to Shevgaon—a distance of nearly fifty miles. The first part of the journey was on the ghauts and when we came to the part of the road leading down to the undulating and flat country below the scene that met our eyes was like a bird's eye view. Few and far between were little spots of verdure and all the rest was dry, hot and brown.

As we sped along at about six miles an hour, we passed small groups of weary Hindu pilgrims carrying Bhagvi flags. We passed by several herds of cattle being taken away from the famine area. The best of them seemed to be in the hands of butchers. We also passed a number of carts filled with grain, and under police protection going toward the part we were visiting.

Here and there by the roadside, or trudging along in the heat and dust we saw gaunt men and women and hungry looking children.

After arriving at Shevgaon we saw cases that looked as emaciated as those I had witnessed in the famines of 1897 and 1900. There is no question of the need. There is little fear of too much being done for their relief. We found the Government had organized Kitchens for the old and infirm. I was told that 1800 people were receiving relief from the one in Shevgaon. A large tank which was begun about six months ago by the P.W.D., is now a Famine relief work with some 3000 men employed upon it. I saw babies in a terribly emaciated condition and women suffering terribly for want of food and clothing. Salvation Army Officers told me of villages from which 75 per cent. of the population, in the case of the Mahars, and large numbers in the case of other castes had left their homes to find employment and food in more favoured parts. The great dam being constructed by Tata and Co., is employing a large number. Crowds of famine-stricken people have gone into the Nizam's Dominions. We have met whole families seeking work in Bombay who have come from those parts. I was told that the Mahars Mangs and Mussalmans were suffering most.

Commissioner French and his staff are already at work doing their utmost to meet the great need. Temporary wells are being constructed by blasting the rock in river beds to give an immediate supply of water. These in most cases will be built up a little, they will give employment to the poor and be of use again and again: as after the rains they will only need cleaning out to be of further service. These, it is estimated will cost about Rs. 50 each for construction. Doles of grain and gifts of clothing are also being distributed without regard to the creed or caste of recipients. It has also been arranged to start cheap grain shops.

DAYASAGAR.

RAILWAYS AND RACIAL DISTINCTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE".

Sir,—On the 14th instant I was waiting at the Nasik Station holding a second class ticket from Nasik to Bombay for Nagpur passenger leaving Nasik, at 9-45 p.m. There were only two second class compartments attached to the train. In one of the compartments there were four passengers. I tried to enter that compartment when a European sitting on the 4th berth suddenly got up and gave me a push. I reported the matter to the guard on duly who being of the skin as the gentleman was, refused to pay any heed to my complaint and on the contrary began to utter insulting language. I tried to find out a seat in the other compartment which was overcrowded with ten passengers. A European gentleman entered it, but the guard as well as the other passengers told him to get down. Three minutes before the departure of the train the guard opened the compartment and allowed that European gentleman to get in. I tried to get into that compartment, but the guard caught both my hands and pushed me down.

There were also three other European passengers holding second class tickets and because of their qualification of being white-skinned Europeans they were allowed to sit in one of the first class compartments, while I being an Indian was not allowed to do so by the guard who was an European. I was thus obliged to wait at the station for nearly four hours until the arrival of the next train.

I am at a loss to understand why such prejudice should prevail among the servants of the public maintained by public money. The higher authorities should see that the passengers travelling by the line should not be insulted and rebuked by the servants of the Company and take proper measures to teach their officials better manners.—Yours, etc.,

JAGMOHANDAS R. SHROFF.

Bhuleshwar,
Bombay, Dec. 20.

BOMBAY STRIKES.

AMUSING STORY OF A RECRUIT.

None of the three strikes in Bombay shows any sign of an early termination. After about three months' efforts the Postal authorities were able yesterday to bring out on the streets, a handful of recruits to do the Postmen's work, but it remains to be seen how far the work will suit these novices and how long they will stick to the service.

There is an amusing story told about a recruit by a shopkeeper who has brought to us a packet of letters. One day last week a recruit happened to go with a bundle of letters in his hand to a shop in Girgaum kept by the gentleman and asked him to let the bundle lie there for a while, as he wanted to have tea in an adjoining refreshment room. The request was granted, and the new postman was not seen since then! The letters are lying in the "Chronicle." office for inspection of any investigating officer of the Bombay Postel Service.

The public has been so often definitely assured by the postal authorities that the postal arrangements that have been upset by the strike have been restored to normal conditions and that smoothness and regularity of working are ensured by the present arrangements. How far these assertions can be credited as truthful the suffering public of Bombay knows full well. As an instance of this vaunted 'smoothness' of arrangements we can cite the case of a Parsee gentleman who lives opposite Maneckji Street's Wadi Dr Erachsaw's house, Fort and who has been sent a post-card by his Aunt residing in Tardeo on the 30th of September and which ultimately after varying vicissitudes reached its destination on the 27th December. Three months for accomplishing a distance of barely three miles the postal authorities of Bombay are indeed to be congratulated for their excellent arrangements! If the fate of a communication addressed to a prominent place in the Fort received such dilatory treatment what must have been the fate of the hundreds of letters addressed to obscure and less well-known places?

MISERABLY DIM LIGHT.

The condition of public lighting also remains unchanged. After 8 p.m. only a few lights are to be seen on the roads, and they too burn miserably dim.

THE BENE-ISRAELS.

BOMBAY CONFERENCE ENDED.

The fourth Bene-Israel Conference concluded its sessions yesterday, at the Byramji Hall, Babula Tank Road, under the presidency of Khan Bahadur Dr. Judah Hyam. The Conference passed further resolutions, among others.

Reaffirming the advisability of publishing an authentic history of the Bene-Israel Community and collecting the necessary material.

Reiterating the necessity of having a separate school in Bombay for Bene-Israel girls.

Strongly urging all members and specially the educated young men to mix more freely with the members of other advanced communities and join their institutions so that the Community might be benefited thereby.

Recommending that a Jewish Cooperative Stores for the benefit of the middle and poor classes of the Community be started in Bombay as soon as possible.

Strongly expressing opinion that polygamous and child marriages in the community should be put a stop to and again recommending as a first step in that direction that Synagogues and Prayer Halls should not perform such marriages in the Synagogue premises or under their auspicies by the Hazan or Cazee.

Expressing its horror at the outrages committed upon the Jews in Eastern Europe and appealing to the British Government and the League of Nations to prevent the repetition of such outrages.

Recommending to the various Synagogues the necessity of making improvements in some of the present customs obtaining in the Community.

CHINTAMANI ARRIVES IT MADRA

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Dec. 28.

Mr. C. Y. Chintamani, President-elect of the Third Session of National Liberal Federation of India arrived in Madras by Calcutta mail accompanied by Rai Bahadur Ananda Swarup, Messrs. Agarvala, Hridayanath Kunzru and others. He was given a hearty and enthusiastic reception at the station by Dewan Bahadur L. A. Govindaraghava Iyer, Chairman of the Reception Committee, Sir P. S. Sivaswami Aiyer, Mrs. Annie Besant, the Hon. Mr. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri, Mr. C. P. Ramaswami Iyer the Hon. Mr. Kamath, Dewan Bahadur M. Ramchandra Rao, the Hon. Rao Bahadur Annamalai Chettir, Messrs. Narayandas Girdhardas, Mukundaraja Iyengar, Dalvi, G. A. Natesan, Venkatarama Sastriar, P. A. Subramania Iyer, Kolandavelu Mudaliar and several others. After being garlanded Mr. Chintamani motored with Sir Sivaswami Iyer to his residence, where he will reside during his stay in Madras.

The annual conference of the Indian Economic Association will be held at Allahabad this week and papers will be read by Dr. Gilbert Slater, (Madras) Professor Jevons and Professor Burnett Hurst (Allahabad), Rao Bahadur Kebe, Commerce Minister, (Baroda) and others.

LAHORE X'MAS RACES.

SECOND DAY.

PRESILLA WINS LT. GOVERNOR'S CUP.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENCE.)

LAHORE, Dec. 28.

There was quite a good attendance for the second day of the Lahore Xmas Meeting and sport on the whole was good though hardly going in favour of punters. Weather was perfect and slight rain of the previous days had rendered the course in a splendid condition. For the chief race of the meeting, Lt.-Governor's Cup a field of fourteen faced tape. Prisella, practically an outsider, obtained a splendid victory. Thompson her jockey timing the race to an inch.

Sir Edward and Lady Maclagan were present during the running of the Lt-Governor's Cup.

The following are the details:—

THE SHADARA PLATE. Distance 1½ miles over six hurdles.

Rs. 600 to the winner, Rs. 150 to the second and Rs. 150 to the third. A hurdle race for ponies 14-2 and under 4,2 to carry list weight. Allowances. Arabs allowed 28 lbs. Countrybreds allowed 2lbs.

Captain T. Lyon Smith's SIR RUPERT
His Owner 1
Capt. J. A. Ward's SIRAJ 2
Harraway
Mr. Hamaudin's PRINCE MERV II/12 3
Thompson

Also ran:—Winkey 9-4.

Betting: 4 to 6 on Strathroy, 2 to 1 against Prince Merv, 3 to 1 Sir Rupert, 10 to 1 Winkey.

The Race:—Strathroy obtained a flying start but was quickly overnurled by Prince Merve At the fourth hurdle Strathroy regained the lead which was maintained until the last hurdle where Sir Rupert came into evidence and won easily by four lengths, five lengths between second and third.

Time.—3 mins. 5 secs.

The totalisators paid: Rs. 27 for win and Rs. 7 and Rs. 6 for places.

XMAS PLATE. Distance 7 furlongs.

Rs. 1,000 presented by the R. C. T. Rs. 660 to the winner, Rs. 250 to the second and Rs. 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for the ponies 14/2 and under.

Mr. C. O. Forth's LADY LYRIC 9/12
Seastream 1
Mr. Sydney Smith's STARGAZER 8-9,
Brownlee 2
Sardar Jewan Singh's MAVO ARNEEN 9/7,
Capt. Bernard 3

Also ran: Tier 8-11, Little Eva 9-8, Bonnie Bush 9-2.

Betting: 4 to 6 on Lady Lyric, 3 to 1 against Mavoureen and Bonnie Bush, 5 to 1 Little Eva 6 to 1 Pier.

The Race:—From an excellent start Lady Lyric took the lead followed by Startge and won easily by two and a half lengths, three lengths between second and third.

Totalisators paid: Rs. 13 for win and Rs. 8 and Rs. 15 for places.

THE LT.-GOVERNOR'S CUP. Distance mile.

A cup value Rs. 250 presented by Sir Edward Maclagan, Lt.-Governor of the Punjab and Rs. 700 in cash to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second and 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for C. B. horses 3 years old and upwards which (a) were bred in the Punjab or (b) have been owned by Persons resident in the Punjab for a period not less than two months before the race (this question of residence includes persons who may be serving on N. W. F. P. and beyond who would be normally resident in the Punjab).

Capt. C. B. Farrar's PRISILLA 9-12,
Thompson 1
Mohamed Nasir Khan's THE PEARL 8/15,
Seastream 2
Sirdar Jewan Singh's HAMETH BOY 7-9,
Derga 3

Mr. Sydney Smith's Copper Queen 7-2,
Brownlee 4

Also Ran: Cork Screw 10-13, St. Victrix 10-0, Sui Kong 8-6, Bay Lad 8-3, Daulat Bakshsh 7-9, Nayab 7-9, Shining Light 7-3, The Duke 7-0, Queen Bess 11-0, 7-7, Lamp Lighter 7-0, Piecrust 7-0.

Betting: 2 to 1 against the Pearl, 3 to 1 Cork Screw and St. Victrix, 4 to 1 Sui Kong, Dandat Bakhsh, Hameth Boy and Nayab, longer prices the rest.

The Race:—There was a good start and the Peal quickly took up running with Priscilla lying close on. On bend the Pearl whose rider had scored rails was still making pace but twenty lengths from home. Priscilla forged a head and obtained verdict by half a length, one and a half lengths between second and third.

Time.—Imin. 4 9/5secs.

The totalisators paid Rs. 9 for win and Rs. 8, Rs. 24 Rs. 9 and Rs. 45 for places.

THE MAMDOT CUP. Distance Round, the Course.

A Cup value Rs. 250 and Rs 700 from the Nawab of Mamdot and Rs. 700 to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second, and Rs. 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for Arab ponies 14-2.

Mr. Cook Young's NATIONAL 9-10, Capt. Bernard 1
Capt. Ward and Mr. Norman's AXIS 13-2½,
Thompson 2
Capt. A. Hodgin's and Mr. C. Musgrave NADIM 14-11, Seastream 3

Also ran: Second String 10-5, Boltaway 13-3½, Municipal 8-12, Canada 8-5, Le Grand 7-9.

Betting: Evens Boltway, 4 to 1 against Axis, National, and Nadim, 5 to 1 Second String 8 to 1 Municipal, 10 to 1 others.

It was not a good start, Second String was leading round the second bend. Then National started coming up and held his own to the end a good race up the straight between Axis and Nadim.

Won by 1½ lengths, ½ lengths, between second and third.

Time:—3 mins. 2½ secs.

The totalisators paid: Rs. 11 for win and Rs. 6, Rs. 7 and Rs. 6 for places.

LAHORE CAESAREWITCH. Distance round the course.

A Cup value Rs. 25 0and Rs. 700 from the fund, to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second and Rs. 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for horses in the 4th Division.

Mr. Gold's FORRARD AWAY 11-7, Capt. Bernard 1
Mr. Sydney Smith's CHIARO 7-6, Brownlee 2
Mr. E. Cornforth's HUNCHBACK 8-9, Ford 3

Also ran: Corragaline 8-10 (carried 8-12), Dark Legent II 7-13, Cheho 7-9

Betting: 5 to 4 on Forrard Away, evens Hunchback, 4 to 1 Dark Legend II, 5 to 1 Cheho 10 to 1 Chiaro and Corragaline

The Race:—The order after the start was Dark legend II, Hunchback and Forrard Away with the rest. In a bunch Dark Legend II kept the lead until about half way and then fell right back the favourite Chiaro, Hunchback and Corragaline all passed him. Forrard Away and Chiaro had a good fight, the former winning by half a length, one and a half lengths between the second and third.

Time.—3 mins. 13 secs.

The totalisator paid: Rs. 10 for win and Rs. 9 and Rs. 12 for places.

THE CONVILLEPUR CUP. Distance mile.

A Cup value Rs. 250 (presented by H. T. Conville Esq.) and Rs. 100 to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second, and Rs. 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for C. B. ponies 14-2.

Lt.-Col. Ewing's MOOI 10-13, Major McCudden 1
Thakur Maheshwari Prasad's SAVANT 8-4, Abdul Wahid 2
Brigadier-General Gordon's QUMARI 10-8, Thompson 3

Also Ran: Dispute 9-13, Casilda 8-4, Virvig Campaigner 7-11, Beshwhacker 7-13, Maidoro 7-3, Saint Ethelberga 7-3, Shahzadi 7-0, All Clear 7-0.

Betting: 6 to 4 against Savant, 4 to 1 Qumari, 5 to 1 Mooi, 6 to 1 Virvig and Shahzadi 8 to 1 Moidore.

The Race:—Virvig delayed the start Qumari got away and the field was well strung out at half the distance. Qumri was still leading at the six furlong post but then Mooi and Savant forged ahead and fought the race out Mooi finishing strongly and winning by a length, a length between second and third.

Time:—1 min. 49 2/5secs.

The totalisator paid: Rs. 47 for win and Rs. 9, Rs. 9 and Rs. 7 for places.

CRICKET IN AUSTRALIA.

M. C. C. v. BENDIGO XV.

ENGLAND WINS BY INNINGS

(REUTER'S CRICKET SPECIAL.)

BENDIGO (Victoria), Dec. 27.
Recd. 1 p.m., Dec. 28.

The weather was fine when the match between the M. C. C. and a Bendigo Fifteen began here to-day before four thousand spectators. Hearne, Hendren, Strudwick and Woolley stood down. Watsford won the toss and sent in the M. C. C. who opened with Hobbs and Rhodes on a slow wicket. Rhodes left early, but Hobbs played dashing cricket for his 59. Makepeace, who played his first innings since his injury, also batted attractively. After a careful start Douglas opened out and gave a splendid display of vigorous driving. His innings lasted 170 minutes. Parkin's 43 was a diverting effort. The innings occupied altogether 265 minutes. Though batting fifteen men Bendigo fielded only eleven. The fielding was poor and the bowling weak. Foster had three wickets for 49, Elliott two for 55, Finch one for 63, Wathan one for 5, Watsford one for 22 and Willett two for 77.

The Bendigo Fifteen found Parkin's bowling extremely difficult and when the stumps were drawn three wickets were down for 32. Parkin having captured all three for ten runs.

BENDIGO (Victoria), Dec. 28.
Recd. 10 p.m., Dec. 28.

To-day's play, which took place in warm weather before 2,000 spectators, was positively farcical, the Bendigo men being absolutely at sea with the English bowling. Their first innings closed for 65, the only men of the fifteen to put up a show being Hayhow (18). The innings lasted 95 minutes. Howell took seven wickets for 38, including the hat trick. In the course of four overs, he took five wickets for one run. He swerved remarkably. Parkin took seven wickets for 24; Rhodes nought for nought and Fender nought for nought.

The second venture saw the debacle repeated and the whole fifteen were out for 42 in 90 minutes. This time Freeman was the top scorer with 17. Seven batsmen got pairs of spectacles. Hitch had six wickets for eleven; Wilson two for ten; Fender four for six and Rhodes nought for twelve.

England thus won by an innings and 264 runs.

Scores:—

M. C. C.

Hobbs, c Wathan, b Finch	59
Rhodes, b Elliott	7
Russell, l-b-w, b Elliott	24
Makepeace, c Strangward, b Foster	58
Douglas, c Strangward, b Wathan	119
Fender, c Hunt, b Foster	12
Wilson, c Moore, b Willett	26
Hitch, c Finch, b Willett	3
Dolphin, c Willett, b Watsford	17
Parkin, not out	43
Howell, c and b Foster	5
Extras	6
Total	375

BENDIGO XV.

First Innings	65
Second Innings	42

BANGALORE POLO TOURNAMENT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BANGALORE, Dec. 28.

The following are the details of the Bangalore Christmas Polo Tournament:

Royal Air Force (Plus 6 goals) beat Poona Horse by eight goals to one. Mysore Imperial Service Lancers beat Mysore Horse (Plus two) four to three. Poona Horse beat Bangalore Gymkhana (Plus 5) eight to five. Mysore Gymkhana beat Bangalore Gymkhana (Plus 3 goals) five to three. Poona Horse (A) beat 2nd Sappers and Miners (Plus 3) eight to five. Poona Horse (B) drew with Mysore Horse. Royal Air Forces (Plus 5) beat Mysore Imperial Service. Poona Horse (A) with three wins are victors of No. 1 pool and Royal Air Force with two wins and draw of No. 2 pool. Finals will be to-morrow.

ALL-INDIA SHIA CONFERENCE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LUCKNOW, Dec. 28.

The All-India Shia Conference commenced its sittings to-day. Nawab Nasir Ul Mamalik Consul General for Persia presided and Nawab Sayyid Ali Khan of Shoosh Mahal was Chairman of the Reception Committee. Over 400 delegates and a large number of visitors were present.

DEATH OF MR. W. A. BONNAND.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Dec. 28.

A cablegram has been received announcing the death in Paris of Mr. W. A. Bonnand late Clerk of the Crown in Calcutta at the age of 73.

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.

Wednesday, December 29, 1920.

INDIANS IN EAST AFRICA.

We wish the Government of India's despatch to the Secretary of State on the position of Indians in East Africa had been couched in more emphatic and unequivocal terms than we find it to be the case. The despatch is halting and apologetic to a degree. The whole tone of it painfully reminds one of the unfortunate fact that the Government of India are still incapable of feeling and behaving as a truly national Government would do. One cannot imagine a Japanese or Chinese Government penning such a despatch about the treatment of its nationals abroad. Apart, however, from this apologetic character of the document, we gladly recognise that the Government of India have in no way yielded ground or betrayed the just claims of our countrymen in East Africa. They have met and demolished one by one the flimsy arguments of the White Colonists and the Colonial Office in justification of the policy of racial discrimination followed in that Crown Colony and they have finally pressed for the appointment of a Royal Commission to consider the whole question of administration of the East African territories, including the question of the status of Indian resident therein. It would have been better if the Government of India, instead of pressing for such a Commission, had fought vigorously for the immediate recognition of the principle of equality of citizenship of Indians with other communities in all Crown Colonies. We have not much faith in the outcome of such Commissions. For one thing, they mean delay, when the situation calls for an urgent remedy. Secondly, these Commissions generally end in smoke, if they do not actually make the position worse for those crying for redress. At least, such has been the experience of our countrymen. Unless India is adequately represented on the Royal Commission suggested by the Government of India it would be vain to expect that justice would be done to Indians' claims and that their crying grievances would be redressed. We hope no undue delay will occur in His Majesty's Government coming to a decision on the subject and that the personnel of the Commission, if it comes to be appointed, will be unexceptionable.

Equality of franchise has been one of the principal demands of our countrymen in East Africa, and we are glad that the Government of India have endorsed it in such a manner as to leave no loophole to the East African Government to contend later that India was prepared to accept any compromise on this head. The Government of India have suggested the only satisfactory basis of franchise acceptable to Indians, namely, a common electoral roll and a common franchise on a reasonable property basis, plus an educational test, without racial discrimination, for all British subjects. The following considered verdict on communal representation, coming as it does from the Government of India, who have been following quite a reverse policy in this country, is well worth reproduction here:—

> We fear that separate representation for the different communities will perpetuate and intensify racial antagonism. On the other hand, a common electorate, whereby a member of one community would represent the constituents of another community, would tend to moderate and compose racial differences. In no other way, we believe will the diverse races in East Africa become a united people.

The East African Government have recently conceded, in theory at least, the claim of Indians to be represented on the Legislative Council by elected instead of nominated members. But this is not enough. Indians will not accept any franchise, which is in any way higher than or dissimilar to that of Europeans. What they demand is equality of franchise and a common electoral roll, such as the Government of India have indicated. As in the Legislative Council, so in the municipal Councils also, no racial discrimination in the matter of franchise can be tolerated. Then we come to the question of segregation, which even more than that of franchise, affects the Indians in a vital manner. Lord Milner's specious arguments and Prof. Simpson's immoral reasonings, have, we are glad to see, in no way dislodged the Government of India from their opposition to the scheme as a whole. In theory, the Government of India say, it may be there is no question of racial discrimination against Indians,—a statement we cannot endorse—but in practice, they insist the discrimination is bound to be of a most rigid and humiliating type. The Government of India point out how impossible it would be to enforce segregation in commercial areas, without inflicting great hardship on Indians, while as regards residential areas, such a policy is even more objectionable. The Government of India propose quite a different kind of segregation which should be acceptable to the Kenya Government, if it is only considerations of sanitation and not racial discrimination that inspire their policy of segregation. They suggest that there should be a joint commercial area regulated by strict sanitary and building laws which would ensure that only business of good class, whatever may be its nationality, should be established in the best streets and that business of inferior class should be confined to less important streets. But who is to determine whether a business is of the "good class" or of the "inferior class"? And unless Indians are properly represented on the bodies which will determine this question, will not the latter's decisions be open to objection on grounds of racial bias? We doubt very much whether the scheme of the Government of India would be practicable, even if its utility in the sparsely populated towns of East Africa were admitted, which is very problematical.

The objections to racial segregation for commercial and residential purposes hold good also in the case of the proposed restrictions on the ownership of lands. The hypocritical nature of the pleas in respect of these restrictions is even more patent than in the case of the segregation proposals. The land alienation proposals, if carried out, would amount to barefaced robbery, while the restrictions on the acquisition of lands by Indians in the Uplands are tantamount to a denial of even-handed justice between different races of the Empire. As the Government of India point out, if, as Lord Milner suggests, the issue in Kenya Colony is merely a question of climate, it should be left for the climate to decide who should inhabit the Uplands and who the Lowlands. There is no disguising the fact that, however camouflaged, the underlying motive of all the objectable proposals of the Kenya Government is the aggrandisement of the White race at the expense of the non-whites, particularly the Indians, who, owing to their wealth, industrious habits and simple living, are as thorn in the side of the Whites. The Government of India truly say that public opinion in India regards the case of Indians in East Africa as a test of the position of India in the Empire. It rests with British statesmen to retain or lost the esteem of Indians for the Flag by the treatment they secure for Indians in the Empire.

Notes of the Day.

Government of India and Fiji.

If in their treatment of the East African question, the Government of India have displayed some degree of statesmanship, the attitude taken up by them in regard to the suggestion of the Imperial Indian Citizenship Association that a detailed inquiry into the causes and incidents of the recent Fiji tragedy should be made, is extremely reprehensible. If they had merely contented themselves by saying that they had no power to order any such enquiry, their attitude though disappointing would have been at least understandable. But the Government of India go further and express their inability even to ask the Secretary of State to move the Colonial Office to institute such an enquiry. The refusal of the Government is not due to the characteristic bureaucratic plea that the suggestion is "unusual", but it is a deliberate flouting of the outraged sentiments of Indians and a callous disregard of the sufferings inflicted on the Indian community in Fiji during the dark days of the miniature Amritsar that was enacted there. For, they say that the Fiji Government have already appointed a Commission to enquire into "prices and wages" and that "in so far as the causes of the riots were economic, those causes were already being investigated." If the causes of the "riots" were only economic, there would, of course, be little to be said though we might expect the Government to move the Colonial Office to see that the interests of Indians were duly represented on the Commission. But the Government know that the causes of the "riots"—the wantonly provoked riots—were *not* economic. And knowing this, they deliberately—for reasons which are impossible to understand unless it be that they, in their heart of hearts, sympathise with the racial prejudices of the white colonists—ignore this fact and proceed to make the following astounding statement:—

> The Government of India have again read the despatches with the utmost care. The position was evidently serious. They are unable to find even *prima facie* reasons for supposing that it was handled with undue severity, and they can discover no reasons which would justify them in adopting the very unusual course which your Association recommends.

The Only Remedy.

They are unable to find even *prima facie* reasons for supposing that the situation was handled with undue severity! This, after all the harrowing tales of atrocities, perpetrated against Indian women and men and of the humiliation that the Indian community had to suffer, which have been published in Indian newspapers throughout the country! The Government with an amazing callousness towards the indignities heaped on Indians have simply ignored all these revelations and cries for redress and still persist in their strange and wholly unwarranted attitude of regarding the despatches of the Fiji Government as the last word on the subject despite the fact that they have been proved to be one-sided and wholly misleading in most essential matters. And after this reprehensible display of an unjudicial attitude of mind, they have the temerity to say that "they will always be jealous of the rights of Indians, who are overseas, as British subjects, and will vigorously protest when they find those rights assailed." We are free to confess that we are not surprised at the attitude of Lord Chelmsford's Government. We did not expect them to be capable of safeguarding or always willing to safeguard the rights and interests of Indians whether inside or outside this country or to be responsive to Indian sentiment. They have once again shown that the sooner they give place to a Government responsible to the Indian people, the better for India and the Empire in which Indians are treated as pariahs.

An Alarmist Speech.

Diplomatic circles in London, Reuter informs us, are disposed to regard the speech of M. Lefevre, late French Minister of War, delivered during a debate in the Chamber, as being too alarmistic though they feel that it certainly has some solid basis. M. Lefevre explained to the Chamber that his resignation was due to the Finance Ministry's demand for the Army estimates to be cut down, with which he did not agree. It is some relief to learn that the French Finance Ministry mustered up some strength to check the activities of the Chauvinists in the mad race for armaments and increase of military expenditure. The late War Minister's excuse for increased expenditure was that Germany was trying to reconstitute her armaments and his ground for assuming this intention on the part of Germany was that "she still possessed tens of thousands of machine-guns, millions of rifles, and a large number of field-guns", and that "Germany was also concealing eleven hundred gun breeches in secret depots, while not a single model had been discovered of two of the latest machine-guns, one of which was capable of firing 1,500 shots a minute against aircraft." The ex-Minister besought the Government to come to an understanding with the Allies for the establishment of permanent control over Germany's armaments and to revise the Treaty of Versailles on this point and he proceeded to ask for the maintenance of military forces, which were, he urged, indispensable if the barricade between Germany and Bolshevism was to be kept up. This blood-curdling description of Germany's military intentions hardly squares with Mr. Lloyd George's recent assertion that Germany had faithfully fulfilled her obligations under the Versailles Treaty, regarding the surrender of arms. But alarms like this are in keeping with the Jingoist tendencies of a class of politicians who dominate French foreign and military policy.

Will the Allies Lead?

Diplomatic circles in London find "a solid basis" in M. Lefevre's allegations in "the knowledge possessed by the chief members of the Entente of the existence at present of a composite, well-equipped German force in Bavaria described as the Citizen Guards" and the fact "that representations regarding it made by the Allied mission, have not evoked a satisfactory reply, the contention being that they are necessary, owing to local conditions." Whatever the basis of facts in the allegations made by M. Lefevre, the remedy suggested by him is not calculated to remedy the evil. What is wanted is not the establishment of a permanent control over Germany's armaments and the maintenance of military forces as a constant threat to her, but the admission of Germany into the League of Nations and, more, the abandonment by the Big Allied Powers of their policy of economic-imperialism, so as to make it worth the while of America to join the League. The question of armaments is one of the acid tests of the *bona fides* of the Allied Powers in regard to the League of Nations. If they intend the League of Nations to fulfil the functions which the world originally intended it should fulfil they must see that it is made possible for it to regard its primary function to be not to humanize war, but to eliminate it. And the condition precedent to this is the inclusion of the ex-enemy Powers, and Russia and America, in the League. So long as this is not done, the mad race for armaments will go on as though the Great War had not been. Already America has set the pace. Britain herself has not lagged behind. Japan still regards her huge naval programme as "a measure of defence natural to an island empire", and France herself has not substantially reduced her pre-war expenditure on the Navy and Army. Germany, by all authoritative accounts, has been too crippled to raise her head for many a long year. It is for the Allies to set her an example in the reduction of armaments.

D'Annunzio.

It is clear that the game is up for D'Annunzio and that the Italian Government mean "business" this time. That the former should not have realised this fact is not his fault, for the Italian Government have been so long shilly-shallying with him that it is only natural that he should expect the the game of bluff would continue indefinitely. But, the wolf is at last in evidence and the hero-poet has had his ant, cut short at an unexpected moment. He would have done well to see how the winblew and to have quitted the stage in a graceful manner, instead of knocking his head against the inevitable. Many valuable Italian lives have, in consequence, been lost on either side, for which the entire responsibility must rest on the head of D'Annunzio. But apart from this, the Italian poet may consider himself fortunate in having escaped with a lighter punishment than would have fallen to the lot of any one who indulged in political escapades of the sort he was guilty of.

Dread!

Congressmen will no doubt be vastly amused by the message which the President of the "Anglo-Indian Domiciled European Association" has thought fit to send to the Viceroy. What the Viceroy has to do with the piracy of a solitary Anglo-Indian and wther Lieut.-Col. Gidney imagines that Lord Chelmsford is the patron saint of all Anglo-Indian Domiciled Europeans", only the worthy Lieut.-Colonel can tell. We do not know whether it is the Private Secretary or the Viceroy himself, who, according to Lieut.-Col. Gidney, is fully posted as "the political gyrations and recent destructive communal activities" of Mr. H. W.B. Moreno of Calcutta. We confess we, on this side of India, have not heard of the dreadful Mr. Moreno, but he must obviously be of sufficient importance in the "Anglo-Indian Domiciled European" world to set it into convulsions by his meteoric appearance at the Indian National Congress session. We only hope that the phenomena will not send the Simla gods toppling down from their thrones from sheer fright. Let them rest at ease in the conviction that the "unflinching and untarnished loyalty of the "Anglo-Indian Domiciled European" and "devotion to our King and country", "our most sacred trust and heritage" will defend them from the attacks of the rebels gathered at Nagpur, including that base traitor who has joined the enemy's camp. By the way, cannot the Association hit upon a less hybrid designation than "Ango-Indian Domiciled European"?

Rubbing Salt in the Wound.

The mentality of the Punjab officialdom which still insists on having its pound of flesh from the citizens of Amritsar, ignoring the bloody hell of Jhallianwalla Baug, is difficult indeed to understand. We are being told repeatedly from the housetops by the authorities that they are prepared to let bygones be bygones and to forget and forgive. Why, then, are the Punjab authorities attempting to rub salt into the unhealed wound by still insisting on demanding an indemnity from Amritsar City? Is that the way of carrying out the beneficent intentions of the Royal Proclamation of last year? The Municipal Council of Amritsar deserves to be congratulated on the readiness it has shown in refusing to collect the iniquitous impost and we see no frowns of official displeasure will ter the public of the city from resisting the demand, which must be extremely galling to their self-respect.

Bureaucratic Way!

The following letter will speak for itself:—

Before noon today I despatched the following wire to the sub-post master, Adyar, Madras, for transmission:—

"Kelkar c/o DiMoonje, Nagpur.

"Regret environments prevent presence Congress. Please remember develope Lokamanya Tilak's responsive co-operation. I include therein Mahatma Gandhi's Non-Cooperation whenever expedient.

"Withdrawal stands as much final stage as non-payment taxes boycott British goods not dependent on Punjab Khilafat wrongs but establishment Swaraj."

In the afternoon the sub-post master wrote to me:—

"Sir, the message to Mr. Kelkar Nagpur, sent to-day is reported to be objectionable to be despatched. The matter has been referred to the Secretary to Government. His reply is awaited whether to despatch the telegram or not.

Later on about nightfall I received the following communication from him:—

"Sir, orders have been received to despatch the telegram and it was already been done."

This has transpired at Madras the seat of the local Government. Any interpellations available about the last sitting of the local Legislature? Will any of the members care to obtain elucidation as to what respects such a message should be to be regarded as objectionable as to make the Duke try reporter? Will H. H. from the beginning to set matters right? Questions from the right course accumulation into a force driving democracy into "Non-Cooperation."

I am a non-cooperator myself, but do not desire such accumulation lest it might be copied in Swaraj administration.—Yours, etc.,

R. PARANDIKAR.

Madras, Dec. 23.

"TREATING TURKS FAIRLY!"

"MODIFICATIONS WOULD BE TEARING UP TREAY!"

PREMIER'S STRANE PRONOUNCEMENT.

REFUSES TO SEN MISSION TO KEMAL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 2
Recd. 8 p.m., Dec. 2

The question of the revision of the Trey of Sevres particularly with regard to te restoraion of Smyrna to Turkey was rad in the House of Commons to-day by Jr. Walter Guinness who suggested tha we should get into touch with the Angora Gwnment with a view to settlement. Gneral Townshend agreed that Britain and rance ought jointly to approach Kemal Pasha. He offered to undertake the ission personally.

Mr. Lloyd George pointed out th the preliminary difficulty was that the Cotantinople Government was the only *de jure* Government in Turkey. We could t get behind it without their consent andnegotiate with a general who was in revolt though he might have four-fifths of Anatoliehind him. The Premier urged awaitin the result of the *pour parlers* now preding between the *de jure* Government in Constantinople and the *de facto* Govament of Kemal Pasha. He thought that would be unwise for the British Goverant to indicate their views beforehand. ith regard to the suggested modifications, ich be described as tearing up the Treatyin case of Thrace it would be placing thepopulation, of which the majority was undobtedly Christian, back into the Turkishhands. He recalled that the Turks were ling to bow to the loss of Smyrna and Adanople, if their request for retention of Cstantinople were granted. Then agitati came about Thrace and Smyrna. He belied that if we were able to restore Smyrna e same agitation would restart about Thce and Adrianople. We were unable give Kemal Pasha Smyrna in exchange r peace in Anatolia.

FOR GREEK FRIENDSHI

He pointed out that the Grecks o had much more formidable army than o Turks might refuse to surrender it. V ought to walk very warily in this direction because we might otherwise get hred of the Greeks. We had all been fil with resentment against the action of Greeks recently but there might be an elanation of it. Our information was insacient on which to found a great policy in a part of the world which was more vital to Britain than any other country. If we gave Kemal Smyrna, would Arabs forget that they had not got Damascus and Aleppo? He was all for peace in Asia Minor and treating the Turk fairly and if the Turk had a proposition to make, he was willing to discuss it but he emphasised that the Greek friendship was vital to Britain in the Mediterranean.

He pointed out the fact that Kemal and Bolshevists were both seeking to control Ajeorbaijan. This was producing a state of conflict between them and the old secular struggle between the Turk and the Russian was reviving there. We ought to wait to see developments of this and also whether Greece was capable or not of what the Allies thought in the Treaty of Sevres that the Greeks were capable of. All that would very soon become visible and he begged the House and the public not to be rushed into tearing up the Treaties which were vital to the British Empire and restoring the conditions which would be very nearly as fatal as war. (Cheers).

FAILURE OF VERSAILLES TREATY.

GERMANS' PLIGHT.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 10 p.m. Dec. 28

Berlin.—In the course of an article in "Frankgurter Zeitung" Foreign Minister Simons declares that the more the Treaty of Versailles is carried into effect the worse becomes the position of the German people. He complains especially that the Allies are hindering the maintenance of civil order by preventing co operation of various volunteer organisations. He believes that the business-like proceedings of the reparations experts in Brussels indicate that Germany's war debt will be fixed within reasonable limits.

FIGHTING AROUND FIUME.

ADVANCED POSTS OCCUPIED BY CAVIGLIA.

ITALIANS LOSE FIVE KILLED AND 30 WOUNDED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 2 p.m., Dec. 28.

Rome.—A message from Trieste states that in consequence of the threatening attitude of the leaders in Fiume, General Caviglia ordered occupation of the advanced posts around Fiume. The order was carried out on Christmas Day after fighting, in which the Italians lost five killed and 30 wounded.

FIRING CONTINUES.

MAYOR'S INTERVIEW.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 10 p.m., Dec. 28.

Rome.—A message from Trieste states that firing continued on December 27th. The investing forces were reinforced. The Mayor of Fiume requested an interview with the commander of the Abamezia division and the request was granted.

THE "FATRICIDAL STRIFE."

D'ANNUNZIO DECLARES WAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 1 a.m. Dec. 29.

Rome.—In reply to the Italian Government's blockade of Fiume, D'Annunzio declared war on December 22nd. His legionaries disembarked near Zara, where a skirmish resulted in slight Italian casualties. The Italian troops, thereupon, crossed the frontier of the Quarnero regency. The legionaries retreated inside the city and the Italians halted in the hope that the legionaries would negotiate but the latter opened fire with guns and machine-guns, the Italians losing thirty men. The Italian resumed their march and occupied the outskirts of Fiume on December 26th. Part of the population rose against D'Annunzio, but the revolt was suppressed with some bloodshed. Aeroplanes on December 27th dropped leaflets on Fiume, urging cessation of this fratricidal strife.

ITALIAN CASUALTIES.

Rome.—Up to the present, the Italian regulars have lost thirty killed and hundred wounded. The legionaries have blown up four bridges over the Recina River. The Municipal Council in Rome adjourned, after ordering the flag in Capitol to be lowered half-mast as an expression of anxiety regarding the events in Fiume.

SOCIAL SERVICE.

MR. REDDY'S OBSERVATIONS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, Dec. 28.

Presiding over the South Indian Social Service Conference, Mr. C. R. Reddy, Inspector General of Education, Mysore, observed that in the western countries social service was almost assuming the place of religion. Western nations did not allow precious human material to go to waste for want of common produce, common exertions and common charity on their part or over-specialised view of the particular problems of social service will not bring into relief its organic connection with the state and public life. It was social reform, he said, and social service that placed our political awakening. Political possession is sure to be toned down to its proper proportion and measure as people gain more experience and find that social factors cannot be ignored and that mere politics cannot constitute either the fullest or the best life.

EDITOR OF "ALWAHID" ARRESTED.

ON CHARGE OF SEDITION

(Associated Press.)
KARACHI, Dec. 27.

Kazi Abdul Rehman, editor of "Alwahid", a local vernacular daily founded a few months ago by the *Khilafatists* was arrested on the Christmas day on a charge of sedition with various articles, which have appeared in his journal.

The hearing of the case will take place on January 5th.

A DISCLAIMER.

The following is a copy of a wire sent by Lieut.-Colonel H. Gidney, President of the Anglo Indian Domiciled European Association to the Private Secretary to his Excellency the Viceroy:—

"My community and Association while extending the hand of true fellowship to our Indian brethren, entirely disassociates itself with Mr. H. W. B. Moreno of Calcutta, who attended the Indian National Congress in the guise of an Association delegate. This man's political gyrations and recent destructive communal activities of which you are aware are universally repudiated by my community whose unflinching and untarnished loyalty and devotion to our King and country are and will ever be our most sacred trust and heritage."

"FREEMAN'S JOURNAL" CASE.

DUBLIN EDITOR GETS TWELVE MONTHS.

PAPER FINED £3,000.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 26.
Recd. 1 p.m., Dec. 28.

The Dublin editor of "Freeman's Journal" has been sentenced by the court martial to twelve months' imprisonment and the paper has been fined £3000 for publishing unfounded statements with regard to alleged floggings in the Dublin barracks.

TWO DIRECTORS SENTENCED.

ONE YEAR'S IMPRISONMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 10 p.m., Dec. 28.

Besides the Editor of the "Freeman's Journal", two directors were sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

CHRISTMAS IN DUBLIN.

ATTEMPT TO BURN "FREEMAN'S JOURNAL" OFFICES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 10 p.m., Dec. 28.

The Christmas was generally quiet in Dublin. The activity of police and the military was confined on the Christmas Eve to clearing the streets of the roysterers, who ignored the curfew order. There was considerable amount of shooting in the streets and several were slightly wounded, including a soldier. The most serious incident was another attempt to burn the offices of the "Freeman's Journal" by three men in a motor-car, who sprinkled the premises with petrol. The flames were very promptly extinguished by the Fire Brigade.

RAID ON NEWSPAPER OFFICE

HIBERNIAN BANK BURGEED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 2 p.m., Dec. 28.

Thirty armed and masked men entered the offices of the "Cork Examiner" on Christmas Eve smashed the machinery and wrecked parts of the building with explosives.

The Hebernian Bank at Drogheda was burgled and £36,000 stolen.

CABLE ITEMS.

Berlin.—Mr. McCormick, representing the American President-Elect Harding, arrived here to-day and conferred with Dr. Ebert and Foreign Minister Simons.

Copenhagen.—A message from Moscow states that M. Thitcherin has cabled to the Soviet Ambassador Martens in New York, ordering him to cancel all contracts with American firms. This is due to the Secretary of Labour's recent order expelling Martens from America.

REFORMED COUNCILS.

BENGAL MINISTERS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 28.

Mr. Surendra Nath Banerjea and Mr. Provash Chandra Mitter have been appointed Ministers in Bengal. The former in charge of local Self-Government and sanitation and the latter in charge of education. The Reformed Government will be inaugurated in the Throne Room of Government House on Monday January 3rd at 11 a.m.

SCIENTIFIC AND SANITARY EXHIBITION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
DELHI, Dec. 28

The All-India Scientific and Sanitary Exhibition which was opened by his Excellency the Viceroy, last week has now closed. The exhibits have since been returned to their respective owners. The Awards Committee which consisted of Major T. C. Boyd, I.M.S.; Col. R. A. Needham, I.M.S.; Col. I. H. G. Hutchinson, I.M.S.; and Col. R. Heard, I.M.S.; Col. Ross, I.M.S.; Rai Sahib Vidya Nath Singh, L.M.S.; and Dr. Kunj Behari Lal Varma has selected 16 exhibits awarding as many as four medals and a dozen certificates. The exhibition has been a great success for which credit is due to Col. James I.M.S.; Chief Medical Officer, Delhi and Chairman, Executive Committee and Dr. Harjas Ram L.M.P., Honorary Secretary.

MYSORE STATE SCOUTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
BANGALORE, Dec. 27.

The Mysore State Scouts' gathering recently commenced here to-day and will last till the 30th December. The programme opened with celebrations for the safe return of the Chief Scout (H. H. Yuvaraja) from his European tour and was followed by a public reception, a review, a public meeting and a magic lantern exhibition by Mr. J. Vincent Mendis, Deputy Chief Commissioner. The Scouts proceed to Kolar gold fields tomorrow.

THE CONGRESS CREED.

A STRONG PLEA FOR CHANGE.

MR. JINNAH'S AND COL. WEDGWOOD'S OPPOSITION.

TUESDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
NAGPUR, Dec. 28.

Till late in the evening yesterday everybody apprehended that it would not be possible to effect a compromise in time with regard to the change in the Congress Creed, difference between the rival parties being acute. However to the intense relief of all a decision was come to at 9 p.m. that the Congress creed should be defined as follows:—

The object of the Indian National Congress is the attainment of Swarajya by the people of India by all legitimate and peaceful means.

It was then settled that this subject alone should be discussed in the Congress to-day, other subjects being left for discussion in the Subjects Committee after to-day's meeting which was announced to take place at noon.

Long before the appointed time the pandal was choked to the full and was overflowing. Greater enthusiasm and order than on the first day prevailed all due to the energetic volunteers. The platform was as usual occupied by prominent Congressmen and others of varying shades of opinion. Cries of shame greeted the appearance of Mr, G. S. Khaparde on the platform. The arrival of the President was announced by loud shouts of "Bande Mataram" which, however, were drowned in reverberating cries of "Mahatma Gandhiki Jai" when Mr. Gandhi entered the pandal. The familiar figure of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya who was present in the Congress on the 26th and in the Subjects Committee, the whole of yesterday but was not present on the platform, although an amendment to Mr. Gandhi's resolution for the change in the creed was standing against his name. It was announced to the press gallery that he would not be attending the Congress to-day owing to an attack of malaria.

There are malaria and mild type of influenza prevailing throughout the town and a number of delegates and visitors are indisposed.

The programme before the audience indicates that Mr. Gandhi will move the resolution that the object of the Indian National Congress is the attainment of Swarajya by the people of India by all legitimate and peaceful means.

This resolution will be seconded by Lala Lajpat Rai and supported by Messrs. V. J. Patel, N. S. Ramaswami Iyengar, Halfford Knight, Swami Govindanand and Lala Govardhan Das an other speakers are, as the programme states, Mr. Chaman Lal, Col. Wedgewood, Sir Ashutosh Chowdhuri, lately Judge of the Calcutta High Court, Mr. Pattabi Sitharama Iyer, Mr. S. Satyamurthi, His Holiness Sri Shankeracharya of Sarada Peeta.

There was an amendment against the name of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya who, however, could not be present as stated above. The amendment reads as follows:

"That after the word "Swarajya" in Mr. Gandhi's resolution words should be inserted "Or full responsible Government within the British Commonwealth."

According to the agenda Pandit Chandrika Prasad is to second this amendment.

DETAILED PROCEEDINGS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
NAGPUR, Dec. 28.

The Congress resumed sitting at 1 p.m., amidst great enthusiasm. This year's assembly is rather unwieldy, owing to the fact that 16,000 delegate's tickets have been issued, while seats provided for them are very much less. If the Congress Sub-Committee's recommendations are passed, the number of delegates from next year will be reduced to 3,000. The rush in the pandal being great, confusion prevailed at times and the voices of speakers were drowned. Only one resolution figured in to-day's programme, which was moved by Mr Gandhi, recommending a change in the Congress Constitution:—"That the object of the Congress is attainment of Swarajya by the people of India by all legitimate and peaceful means."

An amendment also stood in the name of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya that the words "Or full responsible government within the British Commonwealth" be inserted after the word "Swarajya" in the original resolution.

MR. GANDHI.

Mr. Gandhi, in moving the resolution, explained the reasons which led them to demarcate this line of action. The present constitution demanded redress of grievances from the existing Government by being within the limits prescribed by this constitution. Now, the whole of the past agitation had shown that this Government could never remedy the Khilafat and the Punjab wrongs. Having failed, by all constitutional means, India now wanted to adopt another course, which should be by bloodless means,—for India was not ready at present for violence to secure redress of grievances. The wordings of the resolution were open to both interpretations, that is "Swarajya within" or "Without the British Empire" to be determined by the value of such connection in the attainment of Swarajya for India and redress of the Punjab and Moslem grievances. Mr. Gandhi, proceeding said the resolution was a very elastic one, which could offer common platform to the two views.

Continuing Mr. Gandhi said that in his opinion, it was derogatory to the National Assembly to think of the permanence of the British at any cost. They were labouring under grievous wrongs, which the British Government had not only refused to redress but also refused to acknowledge. So long as they retained that attitude, it was impossible for the Congress to say that they wanted to retain British connection. They must declare to the whole world now that they could not have British connection if British people did not do them the elementary justice. He did not for one moment suggest that they wanted to and British connection at all costs unconditionally. If the British connection was for the advancement of India, they did not want to destroy it. But, if it was inconsistent with Indians' national self-respect then it was their bounden duty to destroy it. There was room enough in the proposed Creed for all parties—those who wanted British connection and those who did not. He appealed to the Congress never to return blow for blow when they felt agrieved, and pointed out that they could not give battle to this Government by steel but could do so by means of their Soul Force, which was not the prerogative of saints alone but of every human being.

Concluding, Mr. Gandhi referred to the scuffle in the Bengal camp and said it was amicably settled, which showed that though differences would always exist, as between husband and wife, there was tolerance enough to forget and forgive.

LALA LAJPAT RAI.

Lala Lajpat Rai said that the resolution was most important inasmuch as it enabled India to have a free choice to decide and fashion her own destiny. It would be lackness of patriotism if India were not to tell the world in clear terms what India thought of British connection. India had no faith in British justice and sanctity, which was finally sealed by their handling of the Punjab and Khilafat questions. Indian history was a record of broken pledges and unfulfilled promises. The speaker then attacked Mr. Lloyd George, Lord Curzon, Mr. Churchill and other members of the British Cabinet and then asked who is there in the British Cabinet in whom India had faith? Reply None.) "If there was none" continued the speaker, "then give a deliberate and considerate opinion that India had no faith in the British connection. Was there a British Commonwealth in the real sense? (Cries of "no.") It would be better to die than to be a partner of a blood-stained Empire.

Continuing Mr. Lajpat Rai said: "India should understand that under the present circumstances an armed rebellion was out of question, but if they continued their uncalled for repression and if there be recrudescence of the Punjab disturbances, Government alone would be responsible for that. Although speeches in the Punjab were in quality the same as were being delivered in every part of India, the Punjab Government—a most stupid and unstatesmanlike Government—had declared the Seditious Meetings Act.

Concluding the speaker said the path may be long, the goal may be distant, and the task may be difficult, there was nothing impossible for a nation of 300 millions to achieve in a manful and fearless way with due regard to the country's condition and if any British party helped them in their cause, glory would be theirs.

MR. JINNAH.

When Mr. Jinnah began to speak, a part of the assembly, which was perfectly quiet when Mr. Gandhi and Mr. Lajpat Rai were speaking, now began to make noise which drowned the voice of Mr. Jinnah. The speaker said "India could never achieve Independence without bloodshed (cries of "No."). This was a declaration which though India had the will to adopt, had not the means to carry out. Why not pass a resolution proclaiming that if the British Government did not redress grievances, India would sever her connection. Better give notice, but do not change the Creed. Mr. Gandhi's resolution was a camouflage which did not give any definite idea about the British connection. There would always be in future a conflict between two parties, one who would keep the connection and the other who would sever it. The speaker was twice asked to call Mr. Gandhi as "Mahatma Gandhi" by the whole assembly and the speaker agreed with pleasure to do so and again when in the course of his speech the speaker referred to Mr. Mohamed Ali again there was a cry, "call him Maulana." The speaker refused to be dictated in this respect as he had the liberty

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INDIAN STATES CONFEENCE

DEMAND FOR RESPONSIBLE GOVT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
NAGPUR, Dec. 28.

The Indian States Conferencewas held last evening under the auspie of Rajputana Matidhya Bharat Sabha. In the absence of Mr. N. C. Kelker, M Ganesh Narain Soman of Jaipur preside A fairly large number of delegates fm different states attended. Kunwar Lndkaran Sarda, General Secretary, in suitable speech showed the necessity of kling the Conference of this kind. It wasto ventilate the various grievances uer which the subjects of the Indian Statesave been suffering and to see that the Inan Chiefs in their administration were responsible to the peoples' representatives.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions weresunanimously adopted:—

That in the opinion of this Conference the time has arrived when polical reforms leading to the establishment of responsible Government should bemmediately introduced into the Indian tates by their rulers on the same lines as far as may be as the reforms demand by the Indian National Congress for British India.

That this Conference recomends that the Congress constitution be somended as to make provision for representon of the Indian States through elected delegates on the Indian National Congress i their own right and status as Native Stes' subjects and the formation or aliction of Congress circles for Native Stes in different provinces in which they are situated.

That an All-India Native Stes' Subjects Conferenc be held in Imbay in bruary or March next for hich the wing gentlemen be appo nd as Genesecretaries: Messrs. N.C. Kelkar. Chhabani. Kunwar Chandkara Sarda and Manik Kothari.

That revenues of Indian Stas are not private roperty of the ruler and therefore revenues of every state s used in the interes of state and its subjects only.

That this Conference also requests every ruler to adot the principle of having a civil list providing for expens for himself the incom his family and to us the rest of funds for the peoples' representaves to promote welfare of i subjects.

That such taxes as are unnecessary and likely to breed discontent among their subjects.

The Conference again met this evening.

MAHOMEDAN EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE.

RESOLUTIONS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
AMRAOTI, Dec. 27.

Reassembling in the afternoon, the Mahomedan Educational Conference passed resolutions expressing sorrow at the sad death of Moulana Mahmudul Hasan and Mr. Mamtaz Husain of Lucknow and Moulvi Abdul Abad of Delhi. Resolutions were also passed welcoming the inauguration of the Aligarh Moslem University, the appointment of the Raja of Mahmudabad as first Vice-Chancellor of the University and thanking him for the munificent donation of a lakh of rupees towards the University funds for professorial and industrial studies. The proceedings terminated after Mr. G. M. Sufi had delivered a speech.

Later, a treat was arranged in honour of the President and other distinguished guests.

The Conference reassembles, to morrow.

NON-COOPERATION REJECTED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
AMRAOTI, Dec. 28.

The All-India Mahomedan Educational Conference reassembled, to-day, at 9 a.m., Maulvi Syed Ghulambhik Nairang read an casion which visibly affected the audience. Urdu poem specially composed for the occasion, which visibly affected the audience Later on, a very heated discussion took place on the resolution of Non-Cooperation which ran thus:—"In the opinion of this Conference the movement of Non-Cooperation so far as it affects the education is not only suicidal but harmful to the best interests of the community and that the Conference emphatically condemns the methods adopted to exhort the students to boycott educational institutions and flout the authority of their parents and eachers."

Several speakers took part in the discussion which closed with an illuminating sermon by Maulana Suleman Ashrafe of the Aligarh Muslim University with quotations from the scriptures exposing the arguments, which are generally advanced in support of the movement. Full latitude was given for the free expression of opinion, but all the speakers one after another condemned the movement and the resolution was passed amidst great enthusiasm.

ALL-INDIA MEDICAL CONFERENCE.

RE-ORGANISATION OF MEDICAL SERVICES.

INEFFICIENCY OF PRESENT SYSTEM.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NAGPUR, Dec. 27.

The fourth session of the All-India Medical Conference met this morning at the Subjects-Committee pandal, with Dr. Maharaja Krishna Kapoor of Lahore, who has done research work in Malta fever, in the chair. Over 150 delegates, representing all grades of the medical profession and from all the parts of India, attended. Among those present, were Drs. S. C. Sen, N. N. Basu, B. Maitra and S. N. Cupta from Bengal; Drs. G. V. Deshmukh, A. S. Erulaker and Miss Joshi from Bombay and Dr. Nihal Chandra Sikri from the Punjab. The local medical profession also was strongly represented.

Dr. G. R. Tambe, the chairman of the Reception Committee, in welcoming the delegates, laid great stress on the reorganisation of the medical services in India, and showed by means of statistics that medical aid was not in the easy reach of an ordinary villager. He cited the last influenza epidemic by which six million people perished. He advocated the improvement of medical education, which was at present given only to train subordinate medical practitioners. Though some said that the new Reform Act, was all gold, to him it was a horse without fodder. The speaker advocated more friendly intercourse between the members of the Indian Medical Service and private practitioners, and urged that the latter should not be looked upon as aliens. Medical relief for women, who were the worst sufferers in this country, high infant mortality for want of proper nourishment and proper care of their mothers, urban sanitation and other questions pertaining to the health of the people, were touched upon. The speaker wanted that the Ayurvedic system should be encouraged, and urged for a chair in the subject in the University. He hoped that, having regard to the fact that the subjects of sanitation and medical relief were the transferred subjects, the ministers would do all in their power to reorganise these services, and take up a bold policy for the amelioration of the sufferings of the people. He wanted the members of the profession to take active interest in politics, and concluded his lengthy speech amidst cheers.

PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.

Dr. Maharaj Kishen Kapoor, in his presidential address, paid a glowing tribute to the late Dr. M. N. Ohedar who was a pioneer leader of their profession. He regretted that the independent medical profession was subdued and subordinated to the interests of the Indian Medical Service, and the medical science was taught to Indians with a reserve, and with the main object of manufacturing subordinates. It was probably clear in the case of medical education, that it was a sort of limited attempt to impart medical knowledge to the pupils, not with the object of creating a well-equipped and highly trained medical profession in India, but with a selfish motive of creating Assistant-Surgeons and Sub-Assistant Surgeons. No effort was made to encourage the medical students to gain an insight into the methods of research, and any initiative in any medical man in service in this direction, was being mercilessly stifled. As far as it could be done no post-graduate courses have so far been introduced in any of the Government Medical Colleges in India, and the independent medical practitioners were not allowed, or at least not encouraged to work in any of the Government Institutions to improve their knowledge of the medical science or to undertake any complex problem of research.

He anticipated better results for the development of this independent profession in India, if the profession was released from the mental thraldom of a peculiar caste system and a uniform growth of the profession was encouraged, instead of the wide gradations that existed between the I.M.S., Assistant-Surgeons and Sub-Assistant-Surgeons; if equal facilities existed for the I.M.S., and the Indian Graduates in colleges and hospitals for work and appointments; if fair play and equality of treatment were kept in view in the distribution of teaching and hospital appointments between the Europeans and Indians, and if the relationship of medical brotherhood was considered above the petty and manufactured clanishness of different medical services. He referred to Lord Morley's proposals regarding the possibility of fostering the growth of an independent medical profession in India, by transferring to independent practitioners some of the posts then held by the officers of the Indian Medical Service.

OPPOSITION OF I.M.S.

The Government of India yielded to a certain extent, but the bureaucracy was too powerful for both the Secretary of State for India and the Government of India. The opposition of the powerful Indian Medical Service led to the climbing down of the Government of India, and the Secretary of State had to withdraw all his honest proposals of liberalising the medical profession in India. Their colleges, their hospitals, their medical officers of all grades were to maintain the supremacy of the I.M.S., in all matters medical and sanitary. He instanced the memorandum of the British Medical Association in which they overawed the present Secretary of State with threats to boycott the services and dictated to him the terms which were all for the benefit of the officers of the Indian Medical Service. The speaker urged that the professorial appointments should not be the monopoly of the I.M.S., and best men in India and out of India should be taken into the teaching billets. He further urged for the specialisation of studies of the Indian student, as he was in no way inferior in calibre to that of an European student, and advocated post-graduate lectures and work as a special feature in Indian colleges. The whole Indian medical profession was unanimous that the military services must be distinct from the Civil Medical Service, as it intended to contribute to the efficiency on neither side that military officers were transferred to the civil and again reverted to the military as occasion required.

INDIGENOUS MEDICAL PROFESSION.

We must not, expect said the speaker, the growth of indigenous medical profession through Government help we must stand on our own legs; we must nationalise medical education, start our own Medical Colleges and Hospitals under pure Indian control and management. In conclusion, the speaker urged his hearers to follow Bengal, and start independent Medical Colleges all over the country and carry on a vigorous and continued propaganda for the uplift of their beloved profession.

The Conference was adjourned to 8 a.m. next day when the draft resolutions will be considered.

JAPAN'S MILITARY BUDGET.

INCREASE BOTH IN ARMY AND NAVY ESTIMATES.

HER GUIDING POLICY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 2 p.m., Dec. 28.

Tokio.—The Budget estimates provide for 263 million yen for the army an increase of 50 million yen and 498 millions for the navy, an increase of 125 millions. Premier Hara addressing the Finance Committee of the Chamber, said that the Government's guiding policy had been to increase national strength.

JAPAN, AUSTRALIA AND AMERICA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 10 p.m., Dec. 28.

Tokio.—Replying to questions in the committee of the Lower House with reference to Japan waiving her claims to the right of immigration to the territories mandated to Australia, the Foreign Minister said that Japan would insist on the maintenance of the principle of equal opportunity and the existing rights and interests. He expected that a new Jap-American Treaty would be concluded, restricting the Californian Legislation with regard to aliens leasing land.

VISNAGER NAGAR CONFERENCE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BENARES, Dec. 27.

The sixth session of the Visnager Nagar Conference was held to-day in the Town Hall, Benares. Delegates from all parts of India attended. The president, Mr. Dayabhai Pitamberdas Derasari, Bar-at-Law, of Ahmedabad, was received by the chairman and members of the Reception Committee at the gate of the Town Hall. After prayers and welcome song by girls from U. P. and Gujrat, Pandit Kisenlal, chairman of the Reception Committee, welcomed the guests, and delivered a speech for which he was loudly applauded. Mr. Gopalchandra Vyas then proposed a formal election of the President. The proposal was seconded by four prominent delegates from U. P. and Gujarat, and the president, amidst loud cheers, took the chair. He delivered a very lucid, able and learned speech which was greatly appreciated. The Subjects Committee meets tonight. Great enthusiasm prevails and many delegates and ladies have come. The occasion is unique in Benares for Visnager Nagers and with Rai Bahadur Kanhyalal. Rai Bahadur Dr. Vyas and Dr. Pandya and other leading members of the community taking an active and leading part in the Conference. It is expected, it will be an unprecedented success.

COMPANY FLOATATIONS IN INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Dec. 28.

According to the Department of Statistics, during November 1920, 53 companies were registered with an aggregate authorised capital of Rs. 11 crores as against 100 companies with an aggregate capital of Rs. 28 crores in the corresponding month of the preceding year. Bengal accounted for 24 companies of over Rs. 248 lakhs capital and Madras for 7 companies with Rs. 264 lakhs. The largest flotations in November were those of Buckingham and Carnatic Co. Ltd., Madras and Indian Metal Corporation Ltd. Burma each with Rs. 250 lakhs of authorised capital. There were two other companies one in Burma and the other in Bengal, with an authorised capital of Rs. 150 and 100 lakhs respectively.

WEATHER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Dec. 26.

Local rain has fallen North Assam and Eay Islands with a few falls in Lower Burma.

The chief amounts are:—Table Island Diamond Island, half an inch, Dibrugarh three-quarters.

A western disturbance approaching North-west Frontier.

Forecast:—Dry weather generally.

THE CONGRESS CREED.

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to call any man in any way. Concluding, Mr. Jinnah said he objected first because the resolution wanted complete Independence without any instructions to the contrary, and secondly, because he believed that India could not secure such Independence by bloodless means. He appealed to Mr. Gandhi as a man commanding of delegates to halt before he took the hazardous step of changing the Creed.

MR. PAL.

Mr. B. C. Pal, while whole-heartedly supporting, the resolution, expressed the wish that "Swaraja" might have been defined by the addition of the word "Democratic" so as to give a lead to the coming generations as to the form of Government India would like to have. He warned against the trend of modern Imperialism to consolidate the white races to exploit all non-white races of the world. The old constitution of the Congress was not suitable to the spirit of the times. India must have complete political freedom.

COL. WEDGWOOD.

Colonel Wedgwood opposed the motion, deploring that it would make the task of India's friends in England such as the Labour members, more difficult—if not impossible. The speaker emphasised the need of liberty of speech under Swaraj and fair play and justice to every party, however small. Swaraj should be a democratic Swaraj and not mobocracy. It pained him to remember of the bad treatment accorded to Mr. Jinnah in the Congress and to Pandit Malaviya and Sir A. Chaudhri in the Subjects Committee yesterday. All must behave like gentlemen even towards the opponents. It was in this that lay the essence of real democracy.

AMENDMENTS.

Mr. Patel, here rising to a point of order, said that according to Article 13 of the Congress Constitution no amendment could be moved as long as it was not first discussed in the Subject Committee. The President ruled it out of order as the amendments were to Mr. Gandhi's motion and not to any article in the Congress constitution.

Mr. Radha Kishen Bhargav then moved an amendment that the attainment of "Swaraja" be by legitimate, effective and peaceful means.

The amendment was lost for want of a seconder.

Mr. Satyamurthi moved an amendment adding to the word "Swaraj' words "or full responsible Government" so as to make it clear as to what form of Swaraja they wanted to be attained. His fear was that Swaraja had never been in the political sense in the country. It meant Government of India by Indians but such Government might be monarchy, Soviet and what not? So complete responsible Government meant an executive responsible to the legislature and a legislature responsible to the people of India. This was the form of Government which India wanted as her future Government. Colonel Wedgwood should be ready to fight India's cause whatever her creed, when he could fight for the Irish cause in the Commons. (The Colonel replies.—"I will fight for India whatever her creed.")

Mr. Rangaswami Ivengar supported Mr Satyamurthi's amendment.

Mr. K. R. Vankatram Iyer moved the following amendment:—"The objects of the Indian National Congress are the attainment by the people of British India by all legitimate and honourable means a system of complete responsible Government similar to that enjoyed by the self-Governing Dominions in the British Empire with all rights and responsibilities on terms of equality with other dominions (2) promotion of Indian Nationality by focussing patriotic spirit of unity among each class and community of people (3) advancement of moral and material progress of the people of British India.

The speaker advocated Swaraj within the British Empire for the present and said it was for the future to show whether such a connection should remain within or without the British Empire.

At this stage, the President announced that the discussion on the amendments was closed and voting on the amendments moved would take place at the different provincial camps and results would be announced later.

Congress again meets on Thursday at 8 a.m.

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

PRESS COMMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

The "Pioneer" makes no comment on the Congress presidential speech beyond saying that it was of protentions length and the presidential condemnation of the propaganda for social boycott fell very flat. The "Leader" says the speech must cause disappointment among Non-Co-operators.

THE "SATESMAN."

Commenting on the Congress Presidential address the "Sstatesman" says:—A perusal of the speech delivered by Mr Acharier as president of the Nagpur Congress seems to show that he is in agreement with Mr. Gandhi upon the aims and principles the Nationalist programme and differs only as to the means or some of the means which Mr. Gandhi advocate for the attainment of his ends.

"ENGLISHMAN."

The "Englishman" says that the presidential speech practically throws over the whole of the programme elaborated by the special Congress last September. The whole speech was on a plane far beyond anything that has been of recent years uttered from the Congress platform. It has placed Mr. Vijaghava Charier at one bound into the front rank of Indian statesmen.

"INDIAN DAILY NEWS."

The "Indian Daily News" writes:—The presidential speech like all thoughtful Indians fully takes in situation and sounds a note of warning lest the country be led away by an unthinking enthusiasm and should commit itself to a line of policy which may after all turn out to be purely suicidal.

"BENGALEE."

The "Bengalee" calls it a courageous and straightforward pronouncement. The address indeed is quite worthy of an old veteran of the Congress. The criticism offered by Mr. Acharier on the programme of Non-Co-operation deserves to be carefully read, marked and digested by all who are so much disposed to wax eloquent on the subject.

"A. B. PATRIKA."

The "A B. Patrika" says:—The address is a bold and at the same time statesmanlike utterance on the situation. If he has not hesitated to speak out the mind of nation in regard to the rulers he has been equally unsparing in his criticism of the programme of Non-Co-operation which has captivated the imagination of the people. His anxiety to avoid a split and secure harmonious co-operation of all the parties is shared by all who have the best interests of the country at heart.

"SERVANT."

The "Servant" says:—The message delivered by Mr. C. Vijiarghava Chariar to his assembled countrymen at Nagpur reveals a most disconcerting divergence of opinion within the nationalist camp, a divergence which trenches on some of the vital points of creed of present adherents of the Congress. Mr. Vijiarghava Chariar has dealt with the situation in the country from a standpoint which has little in common with that of the Congress politicians. It is both a surprise and a disappointment.

"INDIAN MIRROR."

The "Indian Mirror" writes:—Mr. Vijayaghavachariar has raised himself immediately in the estimation of all right-thinking men. One may not agree with all that he said but there can be no two opinions as to the masterly way in which he exposed the utter impracticability of every single item in Mr. Gandhi's Non Co-operation programme.

MADRAS COMMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS. Dec. 27.

Commenting on the Congress Presidential address, the "Madras Mail" says:—We have heard so much of the Grand Old Man of Southern India that we expected more from him on the way of practicability even if it was directed against Government That quaint rechauce of this one sayeth and that one writeth trailing off into a visionary scheme of nation building combined with ruining the trade of India without having anything to put in its place. Yet, it is theorists and visionaries of this sort who are hailed as leaders of people.

The "Hindu" says:—The Presidential address which bears testimony alike to his scholarship, his critical outlook, his independent spirit, and his wide knowledge and extensive experience is a survey of the present situation—survey robust and comprehensive. The paper hopes that Congress would strive toards attaining unanimity on the basis of a more workable programme than that of the Calcutta Congress.

"Justice" says:—We can imagine that while Mr. Vijaraghavacharier's excursions into the domain of constitutional history were listened to with rapt attention by his audience yesterday. His arguments against Non-Cooperation, such as has been preached by Mr. Gandhi were not so received, not because that they were unsound and illogical, but because the crowd that follows fanatic would have not the patience for arguments of the kind advanced by th President of the Nagpur Congress.

C. & M, GAZETTE COMMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Dec. 27.

Commenting on the Congress Presidential address, the "Civil and Military Gazette" writes:—Mr. Acharier took a courageous line in denouncing the principal features of the Non-Cooperation programme. In fact, he appears to have ranged himself on the side of Pandit Malaviya, his programme of "nation-building," as an alternative to Non-Cooperation, being largely based on the ideas propounded by the Pandit at Lahore and Allahabad and elsewhere.

THE "TRIBUNE."

The "Tribune" writes:—The address is a masterly performance on which we have no hesitation in congratulating both the President himself as well as the Congress and the country. If British statesmanship knows its duty, it will immediately avail itself of the opportunity and eagerly grasp the hand extended by the President, for it is manifestly the hand of a friend of British connection and not of an enemy. To the extreme Non-Cooperator, who usually confounds what is only a means to an end with the end itself, the address may indeed appear profoundly disappointing because its emphasis is chiefly on the end.

CONGRESS AND INDIAN STATES.

The promoter of the Kathiawad Political Conference has sent the following telegram to the President of the Indian National Congress.

"Hope the Indian National Congress will be the greatest under your worthy guidance. As an humble worker in the cause of the princes and people of the Indian States, I request the Congress to take the Indian States in the new constitution. Respectfully remind that Dr. Dadabhoy and the old Congress leaders always looked towards them as relics of our ancient patriotism, and part and parcel of the nation. Lord Sinha in 1895 got passed a resolution in favour of Indian States in the Congress, therefore, I submit the policy of the Congress should be so framed as to encourage and inspire the princes to be politically strong and to improve their administrations on modern lines; also to give their quota in reconstructing the nation. Under no circumstances they should be discouraged. As an humble student of the problems of the Indian States, I believe that if they are politically strengthened by the Congress and guided by our leaders, they can be inspired to utilise their ample resources to help progress of the whole country. They should be asked to introduce national education, to spread Swadeshism and so on. Writers of note say that States have kept up the nativity and the martial spirit of the motherland, and have preserved the Indian political instinct and statemenship, also institutions of old arts etc. They very rightly say that they are India's only indiginous political institutions. They have given us men like Dadabhoy, Ranade, Gandhi, Tata; therefore I pray that question of betterment of these States should not be further delayed by the Congress. Resolution should passed to impart education to young princes on national lines.

(Sd.) MANSUKHLAL R. MEHTA.
Promoter Kathiawad Political Conference."

A NOTABLE LABOUR YEAR.

GENERAL COUNCIL FORMED.

TO REPLACE PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE OF T. U. C.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 27.
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The coming year in the labour world will be notable for the consummation of long-standing movements for the fusion of unions and establishment of central machinery to direct workers' organisations. The most important is the formation of a general council to replace the Parliamentary Committee of Trade Union Congress by what will really be a permanent labour cabinet of thirty members, representing seventeen trade groups. membership of the Trade Union Congress now exceeds six million and the estimated income is £25.000 annually, which is available to meet the expenditure of the council. The duties of the council will include negotiation with foreign Trade Unions with the view of common action. Ballots are proceeding, or are about to be taken, for the creation of five amalgamations of individual unions affecting three million workers. It is expected that these will be created early in the year.

BRITISH REFUGEES FROM RUSSIA.

PROF WILSON RELEASED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 2 p.m., Dec. 28.

Helsingfors.—Forty British refugees from Russia have arrived at Hangoe *en route* for Hull. They include Professor Sharpe Wilson of the Petrograd University, who should have accompanied the first British contingent last March, but was arrested a few days before departure and sentenced to one year's hard labour on a charge, connected with the two "spies", Victor Buckly and Paul Dukes. The former died in a Bolshevik prison in February and the latter went to England two years ago. Professor Wilson has now been released. Another Englishman, Sykes, was arrested last year and condemned to be shot, but the sentence was commuted and it is hoped that he will soon be repatriated.

WRANGEL'S REFUGEES.

A SOURCE OF ANXIETY.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 27.
Recd. 10 p.m., Dec. 28.

Paris.—The remnants of General Wrangel's army, which are distributed in Constantinople and Yugo-Slavia, are becoming a source of anxiety. The condition of the 30,000 refuges in Cattaro is especially disquieting, owing to the ravages of typhus, absence of accommodation and lack of communications in a country which is a rocky desert. The French newspapers declare that France cannot indefinitely provide for the wants of 70,000 Russians, who must find work and earn their living instead of complaining.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT LEAVES PORT SAID,

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 26.
Recd. 1 p.m., Dec. 28.

Port Said.—The Malaya with the Duke of Connaught on board sailed to-day.

Arrangements for the holding of the National Liberal Federation are now complete. About 15 delegates are expected from Poona, while Bombay is sending a contigent of 50 delegates.

"DEPRESSED" CLASSES

PLEA FOR REMOVAL OF THEIR DISABILITEIS.

CONFERENCE AT NAGPUR.

NAGPUR, Dec. 26.

At a very short notice Mr. V. R. Shinde, eneral Secretary, Depressed Classes Mission Society of India, organized the session the Second All-India Anti-Untouchability Conference.

On Saturday, the 25th December, 1920, 6 p.m., the Conference was held under e presidentship of Mahatma M. K. Gandi. There were present Lala Lajpat Rai, la Harkisanlal, Mr. and Mrs. Rambuj ltt Choudhari, Pandits Motilal Nehru, Adan Mohan Malaviya, Ramakant Malaviya, Col. and Mrs. Wedgwood, Mr. and s. Jinnah, Messrs. V. J. Patel, N. C. lker, L. B. Bhopatker, D. V. Gokhale, C Vijaya Raghava Charya, G. A. Gavai, J N. Bhatker, Kalicharan Nandagawli, L and Misses Khandwala, Dr. Miss Nagoo ti Joshi, Messrs. N. S. Deshmukh, Bhavanishanker Niyogi, Ganpat Rao Lodha, Rao Bahjur W. R. Dhobale, besides many other leaders of the depressed and higher classes from all provinces in spite of a short notic there was a most inspiring audience not less than ten thousand men and women of all castes squatting on the ground in the open air.

The Hon. Mr. M. V. Joshi, President, Depressed Classes Mission, C. P. and Berar Bran, Member of the C. P. Executive Coun, opened the proceedings in Marathi, introducing to the huge audience Mahana Gandhi. Mr. G. A. Gavai, M.L.A, leader of the Mahars in Berar, propoi the Mahatma to the chair. He paid high tribute of praise to the Depressed Cises Mission and the work of Mr. Shind

MR. GANDHI'S ADVICE.

Matma Gandhi seated on a high table began is memorable speech in Hindi. In respon to his request the audience silently listed to him for an hour. He said that untouchability was the highest sin that India practised in the name of Hinduism. Till th problem was satisfactorily solved India is unfit for any sort of Self-Government. He was a student of Hinduism and Indianlife, a follower of Varnashram Dharm and Sanatanlya Hinduism. He could nscientiously maintain that untouchality was no part of orthodox Hinduism. hile interdining and inter-marriage were phibited by canon of Hinduism from a high spiritual point of view, untouchabilitywas an absolute sin practised even now in impurity. But he remembered the was of the late Mr. Gokhale that the wages the sins of the Hindus in India are bey paid strictly to them in South Africa nd other foreign settlements. He warnedoth the depressed and oppressive classes India to conduct this great movement nan ordeal of self-purification and self-eletion. No Western elements of mere self-defence or self-aggrandisement will be any real avail. He referred to his movement of Non-Cooperation as one of purity d advised the same to the depressed class. He boldly declared that he himself its and drinks with the lowest the low and has even adopted a girl of he Depressed class as his only daughtewho is dearest to him and yet he would t ask any Hindu to do the same unless hchooses. For he had to fight with his ownife for his choice of conduct. He appealto the Depressed classes to look to their spective trades not as unclean but holy an sanctifying. He wished them liberanc forbearance, at the same time, sturdy dependence in all secular and spiritual atters.

RESOLUTIONS.

PandiRambhuj Dutt Choudhary proposed the ollowing resolution: "That the Depressclasses in view of their most heroic loyalty Hindu Religion and the Indian Nation, forthwith granted full rights of religiousand civic fellowship by their unrestrictedadmission to all public places of religiousorship and secular usage."

In seconding this resolution Mr. Chhaganlal P. Firji a Surti Dhed delegate to the Congresspoke in vehement terms. He appealedthat this resolution ought to be passed bthe Congress if it really cared for the coopation of the Depressed classes. He and othethree brother delegates to the Congressways moved in black turbans as a sign omourning. Untouchability is our own Rowtt Act and Sir O'Dwyer's. Shankoracharis are our own. General Dyer's moving ll freely and unrepentent. In influenzand other epidemic the Depressed classes di with rats and cats while Vaishnava doers stood on waiting on Mohemedans andChristians and others of foreign faiths anaymnathy.

Mr. L.B. Bhopatker moved the second resolutionin Marathi as under:—

"In pumance of the free development of the ecomic future of the country, the Depressedclasses who still feel restricted in their freechoice of pursuit of certain trades, shl be so encouraged that a genuine spirit of sf-determination and self-assert be effectiv promoted amongst them."

Mr. Bhatker admitted in view of the to fight bafo the country no concess the Depreed classes will be too gr

Mr. Gavi M. L. C., representing the Depressed clses, in seconding the solution said thatie heartily hated the Varnashramdharm" preached by Mahatma Gandhi and pleade that the Hindu society had to be readjusd straightforwardly and unde diately. Dhed may open confectionery shop in on squares (markets) in Madhram all "Sankaracharyas." conscience Dharm was much a dead of development. of India on the indust garlanding the The Confence ended Mahatma.

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BONA-FIDE SALE.

On THURSDAY the 30th day of Dmber 1920, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.) Messrs. BENETT and Co., are instructed to sell by Pub Auction at Wodehouse Road, "Rana Man" 3rd floor No. 8 very valuable and handsomade to order household furniture, such single bedsteads, marble top tables, mirror afrans, dressing chest of drawers, dressing aiwashhand tables, dressing cheval glasses, ca and Gown Almyrans, Cloth and Gown pres, teapoys, carpets, suite of sofas and chairs cane furniture, pictures, curtains etc., e The property of Mrs. Anderson.

Catalogues are published and the perty is on view.

On FRIDAY, the 31st day of Dmber, 1920, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.) Messrs. BENETT and Co., are instructed to sell by Pul Auction, at Imperial Mansions, Cuffe-rade, Colaba (on the sea side), very valua and made to order house-hold furnitu by Roberts, rich glassware, Chinaware best platedware, solid mahogany, dinnitable, without arm chairs, rich Persian and Russels carpets made to order sideboards, dumwaiters and crockery stands, drawing room chesterfield sofa and easy chairs, rich cabinet table ornaments, brass and iron single and double bedsteads, with horse hair mattress mirror and panel door almyrahs, cloth an gown presses, dressing cheval glass, 3-s sized chest of drawers, dressing and sh-hand tables, dressing chest of drawers, stands, Singapore cane furniture, very rich curtains, ice box, copper and aluminium tensils, single and double meat safes, etc., e, etc. The property of A. C. Owen, Esq., Secretary, B. B. and C. I. Railway and others

Catalogues are ready and proper is on view.

AUCTION SALE OF MATERLS

Under instructions from the inicipal Commissioner for the City of Bomba Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will on MONY, the 3rd January, 1921, at 4 p.m. (B.T. sell by Public Auction on the premises the terials of the parapet wall and the surrouing pavement of the Nakhoda Tank behind the St. Zaviers College, Dhobie Talao.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE AMOND EMERALD AND PEARL ORNAENTS.

On TUESDAY, the 4th January, 21, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Rms, by order of the Mortgagee, Mr. Hoosehoy Ahmedbhoy and on account and risk of the mortgagor, Mr. Gore Panday the Rajaf Sandurana :—

1 necklace (Galaband) of 81 lar pearls about 125 chows.
1 necklace 96 large pearls, about 5 chows.
1 Broach set with diamond and dubies.
1 necklace set with diamand and emerald.
1 necklace set with diamonds d rubies and ruby pendant.

The above will be on view 3 ys before the sale.

On WEDNESDAY, the 5th Jany, 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. BENETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Pub Auction, at "Connaught House", Queen's Road, behind the Church Gate Station, v valuable and handsome household furnitu rich glass and crockeryware, dining table, arm and without arm chairs, sideboards nd dumbwaiters, teapoys and carpets, doc curtains, single and double bedsteads, blawood chest of drawers, dressing and wash-hd tables, dressing chest of drawers, singland double almyrahs, one Singer sewing chine, one sweet-toned cottage piano by Sider and pianola, gramophone, 36 volume mplete set of Encyclopaedia Britannica, onedillner safe, hat and umbrella stands, singland double meatsafes, copper and aluminium utensils, garden pots, grass cuttin, machs, etc., etc. The property of Major-General B. James, C.B., C.I.E., M.V.O., Commandg Bombay Brigade, and others.

Catalogues will be published nd property on view 4 days before the sale.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDG MATERIALS AND DRY COLURS.

On FRIDAY, the 7th Januar 1921, at 3 p.m., (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT nd Co., will sell by Public Auction, at Rop Walk Lane Fort, behind Jewish Synayogue by order of the parties concerned the build materials consisting of brass bolts. iron hts, bolts and nuts, iron castings, stoves, ring covers, handles gratings, doors, iron chaps, iron ivory brass handles, wooden pulleys, abso paint, green paint, packets victoria be ivory black Chinese green, lemon chome, Mexican red, slate blue, yellow ochre, Turke umber whiting, iron sheets, expanded mal, one lot banding and twine, cement, fi clay yellow clay, one tent with accessories, tc., etc.

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE FLOUR MILLS, known as Nevetia Flour Mills, Ltd.", in Liquidation, situate at Mahim, near the B. B. and C. I. Railway, Mahim Railway Station.

Under instructions from J. . Patel, Esq., the Liquidator of the above fills, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, on MONDAY, the 10th January next, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), sell by Public Auction, at their ooms, No. 22, Apollo Street, Fort, the whol of the Mills, building, machinery, plant, tors, electric light installation, pulleys, spre parts, etc., together with the leasehold ing containing

SALES BY AUCTION.

BENNETT & CO.—(*Contd.*)

about 17,096 square yards or thereabouts.

There is a siding laid by the B. B. and C. I. Railway Co., into the mill the benefit of which will also be given to the purchaser.

The Mill is worked through Tata Hydro-Electric Company's Electric Power.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Patel and Ezekiel, Solicitors to the Liquidator, or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY AT LADY JAMSHEDJI ROAD MAHIM.

Suit No. 1033 of 1918.

Zulekhabai widow of Mahomed Abdul Rehman Batliwala

v/s.

Khotubai daughter of Mahomed Abdul Rehman Batliwala and others.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos, Esq., the Receiver herein and in pursuance of the consent Order herein dated the 6th day of March, 1920, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will on THURSDAY, the 15th day of January 1921, sell by Public Auction at 3 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises the following :—

All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land converted into an oart commonly known by the name of "Coosabachur" together with the several messuages tenements and buildings standing thereon situate lying and being on the West side of Lady Jamsedji Road in Mahim in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 2459 square yards or thereabouts assessed by the Municipal Commissioner under G. Ward Nos. 5111, 5112, 5113 (1), 5113 (2), 5113 (3), 5113 (4), 5114 and Street Nos. 439, 440, 441, 441A, 441B, 441C, 442 and by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 175, 174, New No. 3807, Old Survey No. 19 and bounded, on or towards the East by Lady Jamsedji Road, on or towards the West by the oart formerly belonging to Bhawoo Sharroomin Bangarkar, on or towards the South by the Road leading to Vaji Vahi and on or towards the North by the oart formerly of Navajbai daughter of Cursetji now of Soraoji Merwanji Rattonji Pantaki.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Payne and Co., Solicitors at Esplanade Road, or to the undersigned.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR IRON AND STEEL MERCHANTS.

AUCTION SALE OF IRON AND STEEL SHEETS.

Under instructions from the office concerned Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will on TUESDAY, the 4th day of January 1921 sell by Public Auction at 3.00 p.m. (S.T.) near the Main Gate Princes Dock at the risk of the defaulting purchaser Mr. Ebrahimji Currimbhoy of C. P. Tank Road the following :—

1 Lot of 125 bundles 4' by 2' 6" by 2/5" sheets, weighing ton 6.4 cwt. and 22 lbs. arrived per s.s. "Frankdale" and lying in No. 2 and 3 Gully Victoria Docks.

2 Lot of 132 bundles 4' by 2'—6" by 6/8' sheets weighing ton 6; 5, 2, 21 arrived per s.s. "Olympia" and lying in No. 5 and 6 gully Victoria Docks.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale and balance to be paid in four days against delivery order.

BENNETT & Co.,

Bombay, 29th December, 1920.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO.

On Government and G. I. P. Railway List

AUCTION SALE OF 2 CASES COLOURED WOOLLEN STOCKINGS.

THIS DAY WEDNESDAY the 29th inst. at 3 p.m., Messrs. MEHTA & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their Rooms No. 25, Medows Street, Fort, by order of Zaveri Maganlal Chhaganlal and on account and at the risk of Seth Ambalal Velji.

2 cases coloured woollen stockings.

AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED GOODS AND SWEEPINGS AT WADI BUNDER GOODS DEPOT, G. I. P. RAILWAY.

Under instructions from the G. I. P. Rly. Co. and in accordance with Sections 55 and 56 of the Indian Railway Act No. IX of 1890, Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction THIS DAY WEDNESDAY the 29th, and THURSDAY the 30th inst. both days at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the above address the following unclaimed goods and sweepings consisting of bags of linseed, bags of rapeseed, bags of rice, bags of turmeric, bags of castorseeds, bags of wheat, bags of cotton seeds, bags of hirda, bags of tilly, cases of tea, cases of machinery, cases of glass chimneys, cases of glass bangles, cases of luggage, cases of boots, empty gas cylinders, bundles of hemp, bundles of coir ropes, bundles of C P goods, baskets of catachu, bundles of forms, tins of oil, drums of oil, bundles of iron bars, bundles of carpet, bundles of gunnies, bundles of horns, bundles of pipes, empty wooden casks, etc., etc.

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale and in special lots if the Auctioneers demand, full amount shall have to be paid and the goods to be removed within 10 days from the date of sale, otherwise wharfage will be charged at one anna per maund per day.

MEHTA & Co.,

Auctioneers.

Bombay, 29th December, 1920.

SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS BOMBAY.

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Telephone No. 521.

SALE on THURSDAY, the 30th December 1920, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), at Dharuvala Bldg. Chira Bazar Girgaon No. 306-308.

AUCTION SALE OF ARTISTIC HOUSEHOLD, DRAWING ROOM DINING ROOM & OFFICE RICHLY POLISHED, LATEST PATTERN FURNITURE, DOOR CURTAINS, GLASS & CROCKERYWARE ETC.

On THURSDAY, the 30th December, 1920, at 3 p.m., (S. T.), Messrs. CRAWFORD Co., Auctioneers, will sell by public auction at the above place where gooods are arranged for sale once and household very decent furniture including satin lined Suite, marble top table, dressing chest of drawers, glass door cupboards, once writing tables, arm and armless chairs, wooden bedstead, low and easy chairs, leather lined reclining sofas, palm stands, Verandah bench, dumb waiter, towel stands, hat etc., Umbrella stands, glass show case, door curtains, tiled, and plain teapoys, glass and platedware, galichas, phonographs records, etc.

The furniture is on view.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF 2,500 BAGS OF BELGIAN LOAF SUGAR.

Under instructions from the office concerned and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser, Mr. Joseph H. Gareu of Gool mansion Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the 4th January, 1921, at 3 p.m. (S.T.), at their Auction Rooms No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort.

2500 bags of Belgain R. T. Loaf Sugar each 36 loaves arrived per s.s. "Schieldijk."

A deposit of 25 per cent. required at the time of sale and goods will be sold on delivery orders.

AUCTION SALE OF 8 C/S OF BRACES.

By the order of Messrs. C. Boggiano and Co., and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on Monday the 3rd January 1921, at 2 p.m. (S.T.) at their Rooms the following :—

C 007 B No. 1—1 c/s contg. 300 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 2—1 c/s contg. 300 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B 3—1 c/s contg. 327 doz. sizes 20" x 14"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B 4—1 c/s contg. 315 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 5—1 c/s contg. 261 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 6—1 c/s contg. 327 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 7—1 c/s contg. 300 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 8—1 c/s contg. 300 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".

2430 doz. in all.

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Bombay, 29th December, 1920.

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CABLE QUOTATIONS.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

New York, Dec. 24th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	—	28,000
" Exports to Great Britain	—	14,000
" to Continent	—	9,000
Futures at New York March	—	14.57
" " May	—	14.07
" " July	—	14.75
Spot Cotton at New York	—	15 26
" " Orleans	—	14.00
Futures at New Orleans March	—	13 95
" " May	—	14.16
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	—	6 5/16
Demand Bills	—	3.51.37
U. S. Mined	—	99 1/2
" " Foreign	—	65 3/8
		Sales.
Week's Exports to Japan	—	4,000
Stock of Cotcon at U. S. Ports	—	1,621,000
" " at Interior Ports		1,000,000

New York, Dec. 27th.

Futures at New York Mar.	—	14.14
Futures at New York May	—	14.22
" " July	—	14.40

MONEY MARKETS.

London, Dec. 24th.

Rentes 3% ..	—	57 1/4
Bar Silver Spot	—	42
" 2 months hence	—	42

Closing Tone of Silver :—Smaller supplies china buying quiet Buyers satisfied.

Discount, Bank of England Rate 7% since 15th April 1920.

Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	—	6 3/4
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	—	6 3/4
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	—	7 1/8
" " " 6 "	—	7 1/2
Bar Gold (per oz.)	—	116/1

Tone of gold quiet new york took offerings.

Interest day to day loans	—	6 3/4
" 7 day market loans	—	5 1/2
Telegraphic Transfers	—	—
On London at Paris ..France	—	59.98

(Holiday in London until Tuesday.)

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Dec. 24th.

WHEAT.

Australian Quoted	—	£108
Argentine	—	99
Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F. Atlast London Paid Sellers	—	104

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore Reel Sold Dec.-Jan. Quoted	—	£21
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship Dec.-Jan. Quoted	—	£19

Tone of Rapeseed :—

Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Dec.-Jan.	—	£23 1/2

Tone of Linseed :—Quiet.

Linseed, Argentine (La Plata) Firmer Quiet Dec.-Jan. Sellers	—	£18 3/4
Linseed, Argentine (La Plata) Jan.-Feb. Sellers	—	£20½
Cottonseed, Bombay (sound delivered per ton) Neglected Dec.-Jan. Nominal	—	£9 1/2

Tone Rapeseed :—Dec.-Jan. Nominal — £21

JAVA SUGAR.

Fine White Java, C. & F. Calcutta Dec.-Jan. Value	—	28
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay Dec.-Jan. Value	—	29/6
Fine White Java, C. & F. Karachi Dec.-Jan. Value	—	29/9

Tone :—Firmer. More Enquiry. Sellers withdrawn.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Dec. 28th 1920.

Market Rates.

Bank Telegraphic	—	1-4 7/8
Bank Demand	—	1-4 15/16
Dm. Acceptance 3m/s	—	1-5 7/8
Fcs. Demand	—	394 1/2
American Dollars	—	408
Hongkong	—	230 1/2
Shanghai	—	312
Japan	—	186
Singapore	—	164 1/2

Market Quiet

BOMBAY-CHINA YARN MARKETS.

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Dec. 28th 1920.

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Do.	—	—	No. 42/2	3 0	0
Do.	—	—	No. 20	1 4	3

METAL.

Issue prices for Brass and Copper Daily Quotation Dec. 28th 1920.

			per md.	Rs. a. p.
Brass	—	—	3/4	22 8 0
Do.	—	—	1	29 5 0
Do.	—	—	1¼	36 2 0
Do.	—	—	1 1/8	32 8 0
Do.	—	—	1¼	36 2 0
Do.	—	—	1¾	50 11 0
Do.	—	—	2	58 0 0

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" " Thin	12 0 0	12 8 0	
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" Gujar 75-25	85 0 0	—	
" Gujar 80-20	80 0 0	—	
" Black	85 0 0	—	
Poppyseed, White	15 0 0	15 12 0	
Groundnuts	67 0 0	—	
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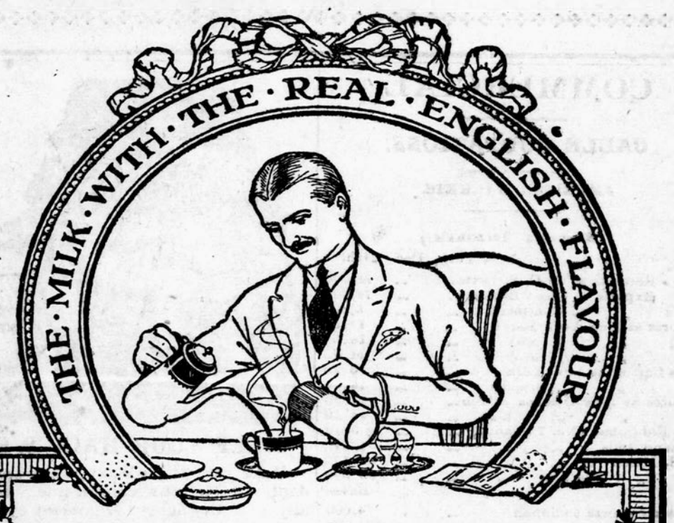

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ARRIVAL.

Dec. 28.

S S Esperia, Batram, Port Sudan.
S S Katoria, Fisher, Paumban.
S S Ataka Maru, Iriye Kobe, etc.

The following vessels obtained their port clearances yesterday:—
S S Siam Maru, Kondo, Kobe.
S S Pengelly, Evans, New York.
S S Muroran Maru, Yamada, Calcutta.
S S Umta, Liddle, Rangoon.
S S Waroonga, Dowd, Busreh.
S S Augban, Younger, Rangoon.

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Steamer Achilles for Dunkirk.
Steamer Rotenfels for Liverpool, etc.
Steamer Colaba for Calcutta.
Steamer Oreland for New York.

S S Esperia:—The steamer Esperia, 2323 tons, Captain T D Bartram, arrived in harbour yesterday from Port Sudan, with ballast.

S S Katoria:—The B I S N Co's steamer Katoria, 1127 tons, Captain J Fisher, arrived in harbour yesterday from Paumban, with ballast.

S S Ataka Maru:—The steamer Ataka Maru, 2380 tons, Captain M Iiye, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kobe, etc., with a general cargo and 1 passenger.

S S Siam Maru:—The O S K steamer Siam Maru, 2822 tons, Captain S Kondo, will sail to-day from the Bombay harbour for Kobe, etc., with a general cargo and passengers.

S S Pengelly:—The W and A Graham Co's steamer Pengelly, 2171 tons, Captain A Evans, will sail to-day from the Bombay harbour for New York, with a general cargo.

S S Muroran Maru:—The N Y K steamer Muroran Maru, 3263 tons, Captain K Yamada, will sail to-day from the Bombay harbour for Calcutta, with a general and same bottom cargo.

S S Umta:—The B I S N Co's steamer Umta, 3491 tons, Captain R Liddle, will sail to-day from the Bombay harbour for Rangoon, with ballast.

S S Waroonga:—The B I S N Co's steamer Waroonga, 1341 tons, Captain G Dowd, will sail to-day from the Bombay harbour for Busreh, with a general cargo.

S S Aungban:—The Shaw Wallace Co's steamer Aungban, 3005 tons, Captain J Younger, will sail to-day from the Bombay harbour for Rangoon, with a general cargo.

VESSELS IN THE BOMBAY DOCKS

Tuesday, 28th Dec. 1920.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

3	Goalpara	N F	N F	..M M & Co
O & R	Ischia	Genoa	1/1	..M Italiana
O & R	Ischia	Genoa	1/1	..M Italiana
D	Muroran Maru	(Boats)	N F	..N Y Kaisha
E	Tenshin Maru	Colombo	4/1	..N Y Kaisha
F	Nour El: Bahar	N F	N F	P Padanerce & Co
F	Ballerby	Dunkirk	N F	J F & Co
H	Saraswati	N F	N F	R E ollin & Co
L	Egypt	N F	N F	..M M & Co
M	Loyalty	N F	N F	.N Morarji & Co
N	Pengelly	Philadelphia	29/12	Graham & Co
O	Bajuue	N F	N F	..P Foundry
P	Donia	Middlesbrough	N F	Graham & Co
Q	Warma	N F	N F	..M M & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Courland		N F	N F	..K N & Co
Irawadi		N F	N F	..K N & Co
Kaveri		Bhownager	29/12	K N & Co
Mahanadi		Karachi	29/12	..K N & Co
Oporto		N F	N F	..K N & Co
Ponani		N F	N F	..K N & Co
Saraswati		Mangalore	28/12	K N & Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

1	Siam Maru	Kobe	29/12	..O S Kaisha
2	Clan Mackinnon	Malabar coast	30/12	J F & Co
3	Chakdara	Basra	31/12	..M M & Co
4	Bandra	Basra	30/12	..M M & Co
5	Lahore	Japan	N F	..M M & Co
6	Khosaron	Jedda	30/12	..T M & Co
9	Hawick Hall	Calcutta	29/12	..Graham & Co
10	Clan Stuart	N F	N F	..J F & Co
12	Ratenfels	Karachi	5/1	..J F & Co

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

1	City of Karachi	Karachi	2/1	..K N & Co
2	Karapara	Durban	31/12	..M M & Co
3	Vasna	Basra	29/12	..M M & Co
4	Mandala	Karachi	31/12	..M M & Co
5	Soniedjk	Karachi	31/12	E D Sassoon & Co
6/7	Brito Mart	N F	N F	..Oddiest & Co
7	China	London	1/1	..M M & Co
8	Goblons	Trieste	5/1	..L Triestino
9	Main	Southamton	4/1	..M M & Co
10	Sandakan	Aden	1/1	..K N & Co
11	City of Lahore	Liverpool	1/1	..K N & Co
12	P. F. Wilhelm	Liverpool	1/1	..K N & Co
13	Caledonia	Marseilles	8/1	..M M & Co
14	Kingmere	Liverpool	31/12	..Graham & Co
15	E Woermann	Suez	3/1	..Graham & Co
16	Ismalia	Calcutta	1/1	..M M & Co
17	Waroonga	Marmagoa	29/12	..M M ..Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Abydos		N F	N F	..I & P S N Co
Aungbarn		Rangoon	29/.2	..S W & Co
Proost		N F	N F	..T M & Co

EXPORT.

Dec. 28.

S S China for London:—42 cwts fishmaws, H Ahmed and Sons; 158 cwts khismiss, C Jivanlal and Co; 25 cwts casein, Amir and Sons; 32 cwts cashew nut, R P Wagle and Co; 5 cwts ivory, M Valli.

S S City of Karachi for Liverpool:—30 bales wool, David Sassoon and Co; 50 bales cotton, Khimji Vishram and Co; 30 bales wool, C Chaganmal.

S S Kingsmere for Liverpool:—1000 cwts myrabollams, C Jivanlal and Co; 75 bales wool, David Sassoon and Co; 127 cwts khismiss, O Govindjee and Co; 300 bales cotton, Volkart Bros; 50 bales cotton, Khimji Vishram and Co; 789 bales cotton, Ralli Bros; 8 bales hemp, S B Torney and Co.

S S Caledonia for Marseilles:—236 cwts gum fala, J Narbheram and Co.

S S Dania for Middlesborough:—1250 tons manganese ore, W and A Graham and Co.

S S Mandala for Antwerp:—11000 cwts groundnuts, Louis Dreyfus.

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S S Gablonz for Venice:—100 bales cotton, Volkart Bros.

S S Rotenfels for Hull:—4440 cwts castor seed, Ralli Bros; 2001 cwts castor seed, Bombay Co.

S S Schiedijk for Hamburg:—2 pots ginger grass oil, 220 bales cotton, Volkart Bros.

S S Schiedijk for Antwerp:—180 cwts dry casing, Ad Meyer and Co; 165 bales cotton, Volkart Bros.

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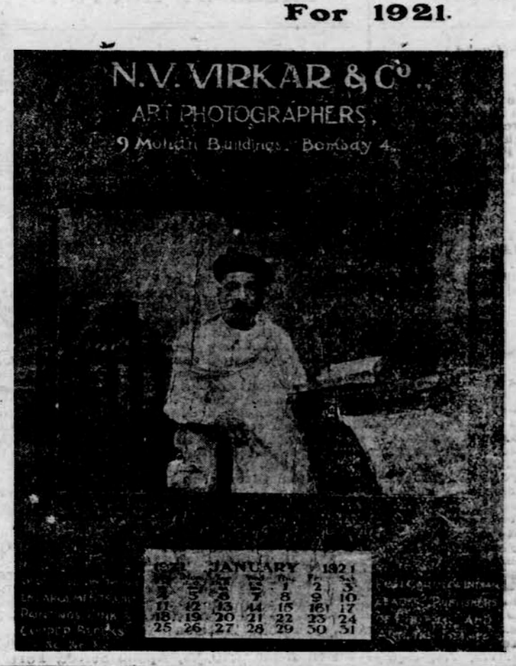

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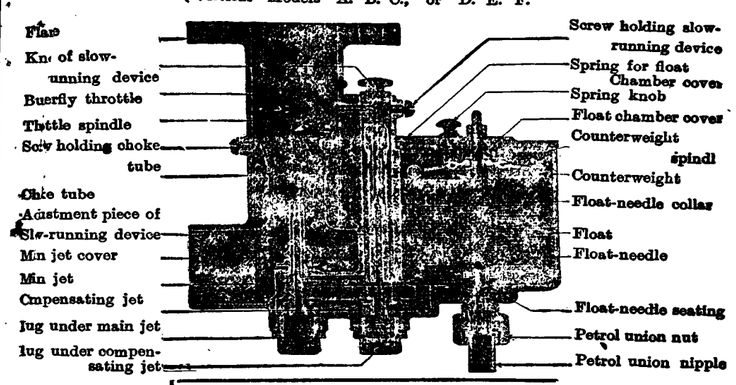

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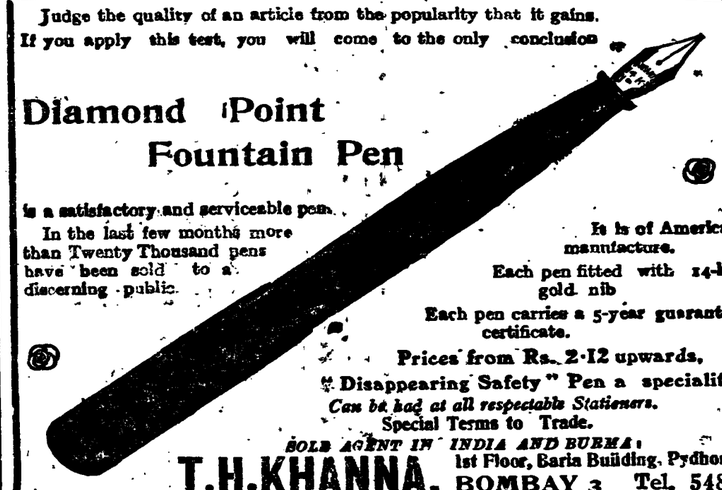

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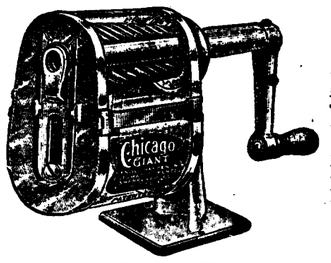

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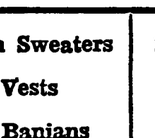

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